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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH, 1939

PROCLAMATION

ALBERT MATTHEWS

CANADA

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

GEORGE THE SIXTH, by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

TO OUR FAITHFUL, THE MEMBERS ELECTED TO SERVE IN THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF OUR PROVINCE OF ONTARIO, AND TO EVERY OF YOU

GREETING.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS it is expedient for certain causes and considerations to convene the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY of Our said Province, and WE DO WILL that you and each of you and all others in this behalf interested, on TUESDAY, the nineteenth day of the month of September, 1939, AT OUR CITY OF TORONTO, personally be and appear for the Despatch of Business, to treat, act,

do and conclude upon those things which, in our Legislature of the Province of Ontario, by the Common Council of Our said Province, may by the favour of God be ordained.

HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the GREAT SEAL of Our Province of Ontario to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: THE HONOURABLE ALBERT MATTHEWS, LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF OUR PROVINCE OF ONTARIO,

at Our City of Toronto, in Our said Province, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine and in the third year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

C. F. BULMER,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Tuesday, the nineteenth day of September, 1939, being the first day of the Fourth Session of the Twentieth Legislature of the Province of Ontario for the Despatch of Business pursuant to a Proclamation of the Honourable Albert Matthews, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

And the House having met,

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province then entered the House and being seated on the Throne, was pleased to open the Session by the following gracious Speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

We meet to-day under circumstances of the utmost gravity. The possibility of War, in which we are now engaged, was fully realized and debated by you at the last Session, when you passed unanimously a Resolution calling, in such event, for the complete mobilization of all our resources.

Legislation calculated to give effect to the determination then expressed will be immediately submitted to you. You will be asked to pass measures designed to increase agricultural and industrial production, and for the protection of our vital public works and services. Our great power resources will be a major asset in the production of war equipment, and authority will accordingly be sought for the adequate control of current by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission. Another measure will provide for closer supervision of municipal expenditures.

Due to the enlistment of men, various Acts will require amendment, such as provision for the transfer of trusteeships; protection of interests in mining claims; and the vesting in certain military Officers of power to take affidavits which will be admissible in Court. Amendments to the Corporations Tax Act and the Income Tax Act, in relation to patriotic gifts, will also be submitted.

As you are aware, the administration of The Succession Duty Act in certain details has recently been impaired by the Courts. The necessity for the Act to function as it was intended, particularly in view of the financial strain to which the Province will be subjected under War conditions, is now greater than ever, and the Bill which will be presented to you is intended to remove all doubt as to the validity, scope and effect of the Act, and establish once and for all the absolute right of the Treasury Department to investigate where fraud is suspected.

I am confident that these and other measures designed to allow Ontario to play the most effective possible role in the successful prosecution of the War will receive your earnest consideration. In this connection, I would commend most heartily the instant co-operation and assistance rendered by the Honourable Leader of the Opposition to the Government, in the common cause in which we are now all engaged.

In conclusion, I am happy to inform you that although additional expenditures have already been incurred owing to the War, the strictest economy is being observed in all Departments and no further financial provision is required at the present time for carrying on the affairs of the Province.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to retire.

Prayers.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That as the Legislature has been convened in this Special Session for the purpose of dealing with certain proposed legislation to facilitate the actions of the Province of Ontario and its Government in lending its assistance in the prosecution of the War in which the Empire is now engaged, and to consider certain amendments to clarify the meaning of The Succession Duties Act, and those matters are the only subjects of the Address of His Honour, the Lieutenant-Governor, this House hereby resolves to dispense with the customary formal debate on the subject matter of the Address as such matter will be debated during the consideration of the Legislation submitted to the House.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 1), intituled, "The Succession Duty Act, 1939." *Mr. Conant*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 2), intituled, "The Public Works Protection Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 3), intituled, "The Income Tax Amendment Act, 1939." *Mr. Leduc.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 4), intituled, "The Corporations Tax Act, 1939." *Mr. Leduc.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 5), intituled, "The Mining Amendment Act, 1939." *Mr. Leduc.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 6), intituled, "The Organization of Resources Act, 1939." *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered. That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 7), intituled, "The Execution of Trusts Act, 1939." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 8), intituled, "An Act respecting Public Meetings and Public Processions. *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 9), intituled, "The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2). *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 10), intituled, "The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2)." *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 11), intituled, "The Vacant Land Cultivation Amendment Act, 1939." *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 12), intituled, "The Power Control Act, 1939." *Mr. Houck.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Wednesday next—Resolution—That this House will on Wednesday instant, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved—That this House approves the terms of an Act intituled "The Succession Duty Act, 1939," as presented to the House, which Act provides for levying duty, on the death of any person, whether he dies domiciled in Ontario or elsewhere, as follows:

- (a) Where any property situate in Ontario passes on his death, duty shall be levied on such property in accordance with the dutiable value thereof;
- (b) Where there is a transmission, duty shall be levied on the person to whom there is such transmission, with respect to such transmission, in accordance with the dutiable value thereof;
- (c) Where any disposition, other than of realty outside Ontario, is made in Ontario on or after the 1st day of July, 1892, to any person who is resident in Ontario at the date of death of the deceased, duty shall be levied on such person, with respect to such disposition, in accordance with the dutiable value thereof;
- (d) Where any disposition of any personal property, other than the property mentioned in subclauses IX and X of Clause P. of Section 1, is made outside Ontario on or after the 8th day of March, 1937, to any person who is resident in Ontario at the time such disposition is made and at the date of death of the deceased and the deceased was domiciled in Ontario at the time such disposition is made and at the date of his death, duty shall be levied on the person to whom such disposition is made, with respect to such disposition, in accordance with the value thereof;

at the rates and in the manner indicated in the said Bill and subject to the exemptions and deductions therein contained.

Mr. Roebuck—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Voters' Lists Act; also, An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

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The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 2), The Public Works Protection Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

Bill (No. 3), The Income Tax Amendment Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

Bill (No. 4), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

Bill (No. 5), The Mining Amendment Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

Bill (No. 6), The Organization of Resources Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

Bill (No. 7), The Execution of Trusts Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting Public Meetings and Public Processions.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

Bill (No. 9), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2).

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

Bill (No. 10), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2).

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

Bill (No. 11), The Vacant Land Cultivation Amendment Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

Bill (No. 12), The Power Control Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 2), The Public Works Protection Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 3), The Income Tax Amendment Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 4), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 5), The Mining Amendment Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 6), The Organization of Resources Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 7), The Execution of Trusts Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting Public Meetings and Public Processions, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 9), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2), and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 10), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2), and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 11), The Vacant Land Cultivation Amendment Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 12), The Power Control Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 13), intituled, "An Act to amend The Voters' Lists Act." *Mr. Roebuck*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 14), intituled, "An Act to amend The Assessment Act." *Mr. Roebuck*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Conant, seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered; That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting an Act to govern the collection of Succession Duties in the Province of Ontario.

Mr. Nixon (Brant) acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommended it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved.

That this House approves the terms of an Act intituled "The Succession Duty Act, 1939," as presented to the House, which Act provides for levying duty, on the death of any person, whether he dies domiciled in Ontario or elsewhere, as follows:

- (a) Where any property situate in Ontario passes on his death, duty shall be levied on such property in accordance with the dutiable value thereof;
- (b) Where there is a transmission, duty shall be levied on the person to whom there is such transmission, with respect to such transmission, in accordance with the dutiable value thereof;
- (c) Where any disposition, other than of realty outside Ontario, is made in

Ontario on or after the 1st day of July, 1892, to any person who is resident in Ontario at the death of the deceased, duty shall be levied on such person, with respect to such disposition, in accordance with the dutiable value thereof;

- (d) Where any disposition of any personal property, other than the property mentioned in subclauses IX and X of Clause P. of Section 1, is made outside Ontario on or after the 8th day of March, 1937, to any person who is resident in Ontario at the time such disposition is made and at the date of death of the deceased and the deceased was domiciled in Ontario at the time such disposition is made and at the date of his death, duty shall be levied on the person to whom such disposition is made, with respect to such disposition, in accordance with the value thereof;

at the rates and in the manner indicated in the said Bill and subject to the exemptions and deductions therein contained.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved,

That this House approves the terms of an Act intituled "The Succession Duty Act, 1939," as presented to the House, which Act provides for levying duty, on the death of any person, whether he dies domiciled in Ontario or elsewhere, as follows:

- (a) Where any property situate in Ontario passes on his death, duty shall be levied on such property in accordance with the dutiable value thereof;
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at the rates and in the manner indicated in the said Bill and subject to the exemptions and deductions therein contained.

The Resolution having been read the second time was agreed to and referred to the House on Bill (No. 1).

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 1), The Succession Duty Act, 1939, having been read,

And a Debate having arisen, after some time, the Motion having been put, was carried on the following recorded Vote:—

YEAS

Acres	Dunbar	Lamport
Armstrong	Duncan	Leduc
Arnott	Elgie	Macaulay
Baird	Elliott	Macfie
Ballantyne	Fairbank	MacKay
Begin	Freeborn	Mercer
Bélanger	Frost	Miller
Black	Gallagher	Murphy
Blakelock	Gardhouse	Murray
Bradley	Glass	McEwing
Brownridge	Gordon	McQuesten
Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie)	Guthrie	Newland
Campbell (Kent, East)	Habel	Nixon (Brant)
Carr	Hagey	Nixon (Temiskaming)
Challies	Haines	Oliver
Cholette	Heenan	Patterson
Conacher	Henry	Reynolds
Conant	Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox)	Roebuck
Cooper	Hepburn (Elgin)	Simpson
Croome	Hipel	Sinclair
Cross	Houck	Smith
Dewan	Hunter	Spence
Dickson	Kelly	Stewart
Doucett	Kidd	Summerville
Downer	King	Trottier
Drew	Kirby	Welsh—79.
Duckworth		

NAYS—0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and was referred to the Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 10.11 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

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PEAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 2), The Public Works Protection Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 3), The Income Tax Amendment Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 4), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 5), The Mining Amendment Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 6), The Organization of Resources Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 7), The Execution of Trusts Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 9), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2).

Bill (No. 10), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2).

Bill (No. 11), The Vacant Land Cultivation Amendment Act, 1939.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 14), An Act to amend The Assessment Act, having been read,

Mr. Roebuck moved that the Bill be now read a second time,

And the Motion having been put was declared to be lost.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 13), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act, having been read,

Mr. Roebuck moved that the Bill be now read a second time.

And the Motion, having been put, was declared to be lost.

The Order of the Day for the third reading of Bill (No. 12), The Power Control Act, 1939, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be forthwith again referred to a Committee of the Whole, with instructions to amend the same.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee; and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had amended the Bill as directed.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting Public Meetings and Public Processions, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 1), The Succession Duty Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress and to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22ND, 1939

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting Public Meetings and Public Processions.

Bill (No. 12), The Power Control Act, 1939.

The Prime Minister tabled a memorandum prepared by the Succession Duty Branch giving particulars of thirty estates, the assessment of which for taxation under the Succession Duty Act had been re-opened for further investigation and on which additional taxes had been collected. (*Sessional Paper No. 55.*)

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 1), The Succession Duty Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The Order of the Day for the third reading of Bill (No. 1), The Succession Duty Act, 1939, having been read, Mr. Conant moved, That the Bill be now read the third time.

Mr. Drew moved, in Amendment, seconded by Mr. Challies, That all the words of the Motion, after the word "That" be omitted, and the following substituted: "the Bill be not now read the third time, but be read a third time six months hence."

The Amendment having been put was declared to be lost.

The Motion for the Third Reading of the Bill was then put and declared to be carried and the Bill was accordingly read a third time and was passed.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and being seated upon the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:—

May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sitzings thereof passed several Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Acts that had passed severally as follows:—

Bill (No. 1), The Succession Duty Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 2), The Public Works Protection Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 3), The Income Tax Amendment Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 4), The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 5), The Mining Amendment Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 6), The Organization of Resources Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 7), The Execution of Trusts Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting Public Meetings and Public Processions.

Bill (No. 9), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2).

Bill (No. 10), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2).

Bill (No. 11), The Vacant Land Cultivation Amendment Act, 1939.

Bill (No. 12), The Power Control Act, 1939.

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these Acts."

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to deliver the following speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:—

Three days ago, this Assembly met to consider the several important measures of legislation which you have just heard read. The dispatch with which you have concluded your deliberations is gratifying not only to me as His Majesty's representative in Ontario, but also, I am quite sure, to our citizens generally throughout the Province.

It is an indication once again to the outside world that when a grave emergency arises, our people are prepared to sink minor political differences and unite solidly in defense of our liberty and democratic institutions.

The measures you have passed will enable my Ministers to proceed immediately with those activities incidental to War, which come within Provincial jurisdiction.

In time of war any Government is beset with many difficulties and problems, and it is my earnest wish that as you go back to your respective Constituencies, you will endeavour in every possible way to promote among the citizens you represent that unity of feeling and desire for service which you have displayed in this Chamber.

We are now engaged in a life and death struggle with a boastful, arrogant enemy who would ruthlessly crush out all personal, civil, and religious freedom. No one who has followed events of the past few years can doubt that. He must be decisively defeated if we are to preserve all those things we hold most dear.

In bringing your deliberations to a close, therefore, I wish to thank you for the emergency legislation you have passed, and I trust that in the months that lie ahead, Divine Providence will guide us to victory and along the pathway of a righteous peace.

The Provincial Secretary then said:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:—

It is the will and pleasure of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued and this Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

No. 4

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22ND, 1939

Votes and Proceedings
Of the Legislative Assembly of the
Province of Ontario

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No. 1

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1939.

1. Sept. 19.—*Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)*—*Resolved*—That as the Legislature has been convened in this Special Session for the purpose of dealing with certain proposed legislation to facilitate the actions of the Province of Ontario and its Government in lending its assistance in the prosecution of the War in which the Empire is now engaged, and to consider certain amendments to clarify the meaning of The Succession Duties Act, and those matters are the only subjects of the Address of His Honour, the Lieutenant-Governor, this House hereby resolves to dispense with the customary formal debate on the subject matter of the Address as such matter will be debated during the consideration of the Legislation submitted to the House.

No. 2

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m. For the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT NOTICE OF MOTION

1939.

2. Sept. 20.—*Mr. Conant*—That this House will to-day resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved—That this House approves the terms of an Act intituled “The Succession Duty Act, 1939,” as presented to the House, which Act provides for levying duty, on the death of any person, whether he dies domiciled in Ontario or elsewhere, as follows:—

- (a) Where any property situate in Ontario passes on his death, duty shall be levied on such property in accordance with the dutiable value thereof;
- (b) Where there is a transmission, duty shall be levied on the person to whom there is such transmission, with respect to such transmission, in accordance with the dutiable value thereof;
- (c) Where any disposition, other than of realty outside Ontario, is made in Ontario on or after the 1st day of July, 1892, to any person who is resident in Ontario at the date of death of the deceased, duty shall be levied on such person, with respect to such disposition, in accordance with the dutiable value thereof;
- (d) Where any disposition of any personal property, other than the property mentioned in subclauses IX and X of Clause P of Section 1, is made outside Ontario on or after the 8th day of March, 1937, to any person who is resident in Ontario at the time such disposition is made and at the date of death of the deceased and the deceased was domiciled in Ontario at the time such disposition is made and at the date of his death, duty shall be levied on the person to whom such disposition is made, with respect to such disposition, in accordance with the value thereof;

at the rates and in the manner indicated in the said Bill and subject to the exemptions and deductions therein contained.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

1. Sept. 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 1), The Succession Duty Act, 1939.
Mr. Conant. PRINTED.
2. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 2), The Public Works Protection Act,
1939. *Mr. Conant. PRINTED.*
3. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 3), The Income Tax Amendment Act,
1939. *Mr. Leduc. PRINTED.*
4. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 4), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.
Mr. Leduc. PRINTED.
5. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 5), The Mining Amendment Act, 1939.
Mr. Leduc. PRINTED.
6. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 6), The Organization of Resources
Act, 1939. *Mr. Cross. PRINTED.*
7. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 7), The Execution of Trusts Act, 1939.
Mr. Conant. PRINTED.
8. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting Public Meetings
and Public Processions. *Mr. Conant. PRINTED.*
9. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 9), The Statute Law Amendment Act,
1939 (No. 2). *Mr. Conant. PRINTED.*
10. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 10), The Municipal Amendment Act,
1939 (No. 2). *Mr. Cross. PRINTED.*
11. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 11), The Vacant Land Cultivation
Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Cross. PRINTED.*
12. “ 19.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 12), The Power Control Act, 1939.
Mr. Houck. PRINTED.

No. 3

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; OTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PRIVATE BILLS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1939.

1. Sept. 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 2), The Public Works Protection Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
2. “ 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 3), The Income Tax Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
3. “ 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 4), The Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 5), The Mining Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**

5. Sept. 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 6), The Organization of Resources Act, 1939. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
6. “ 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 7), The Execution of Trusts Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
7. “ 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 9), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2). *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 10), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1939 (No. 2). *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 11), The Vacant Land Cultivation Amendment Act, 1939. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
10. “ 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 12), The Power Control Act, 1939. *Mr. Houck.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

11. Sept. 19 —*House again in Committee on* Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting Public Meetings and Public Processions. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 19.—*House in Committee on* Bill (No. 1), The Succession Duty Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1939.

13. Sept. 20. —*Second Reading* Bill (No. 14), An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Roebuck.* **PRINTED.**
14. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 13), An Act to amend The Voters' Lists Act. *Mr. Roebuck.* **PRINTED.**

No. 4

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22ND, 1939

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS, QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS. *From Eight o'clock p.m. for the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

1939.

1. Sept. 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting Public Meetings and Public Processions. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
2. “ 19.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 12), The Power Control Act, 1939 *Mr. Houck.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1939.

3. Sept. 19.—*House again in Committee on* Bill (No. 1), The Succession Duty Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**

No. 1

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10TH, 1940

PROCLAMATION

ALBERT MATTHEWS

CANADA

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

GEORGE THE SIXTH by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To Our Faithful, the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of our Province of Ontario, and to every of you—GREETING.

PROCLAMATION

G. D. CONANT,

Attorney-General.

} **W**HEREAS it is expedient for certain causes and considerations to convene the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY of Our said Province and, therefore, WE DO WILL that you and each of you and all others in this behalf interested, on WEDNESDAY, the tenth day of the month of January now next, at OUR CITY OF TORONTO, personally be and appear for the actual Despatch of Business, to treat, act, do and conclude upon those things which, in Our Legislature of the Province of

Ontario, by the Common Council of Our said Province, may by the favour of God be ordained.

HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the GREAT SEAL of Our Province of Ontario to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS:

THE HONOURABLE ALBERT MATTHEWS, LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR
OF OUR PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

At Our City of Toronto, in Our said Province, this twentieth day of November in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine and in the third year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

C. F. BULMER,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Wednesday, the tenth day of January, 1940, being the first day of the Fifth Session of the Twentieth Legislature of the Province of Ontario for the Despatch of Business pursuant to a Proclamation of the Honourable Albert Matthews, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

And the House having met,

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province then entered the House and, being seated on the Throne, was pleased to open the Session by the following gracious speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

Less than four months have passed since I opened the September Session of this Assembly. At that time my remarks were confined to the urgent measures then before you, and I refrained from commenting on the recent visit to this Chamber of Their Majesties, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth. It is only fitting that this historic event should be recorded in the journals of this Assembly. Most of you were privileged to meet Their Majesties and I am sure that their lively interest and constant graciousness will live always in our hearts.

Since the outbreak of war my Ministers have pursued a vigorous policy within the scope permitted to them by the British North America Act. Immediate steps were taken to secure adequate finances which, due to a succession of balanced budgets, were immediately available at a favourable rate of interest. A policy of the strictest economy was laid down and a virtual holiday on capital expenditure was declared. Except where absolutely essential, capital commit-

ments will be reserved for the post-war period, when they will be most needed. The Province placed immediately at the disposal of the Dominion Government all its resources. The new hospital at St. Thomas has been turned over to the Royal Canadian Air Force and provincial highway engineers and the forestry patrol service have been engaged on Dominion projects. I am particularly proud of the way in which Ontario once again demonstrated its loyalty. Men enlisting over-taxed the capacity of the recruiting stations and contributions to the Canadian Red Cross Society exceeded the amount asked for.

It is apparent that economic warfare will be a vital factor in the present conflict, and it is gratifying to know that the field crops in Ontario during the past year were above normal, with a consequent increase of live stock on the farms. A recent agreement calls for the delivery of 5,000,000 pounds of Canadian bacon weekly to the British Government, and it is confidently expected that Ontario production will be increased to supply half of this total. With this end in view, the Department of Agriculture is endeavouring to secure a maximum crop of feed grains. At present we have an ample supply of excellent seed grain which, with better methods of cultivation, should produce an increased yield per acre. There has been a much greater demand recently for assistance in combatting animal diseases, and the willingness of stock owners to co-operate is a promising feature of the broader plans now being laid. A better understanding has also developed between organized fruit producers and processors.

In the industrial field a special committee has been set up within the Department of Labour, to co-operate with employers engaged in the manufacture of war materials. All applications for over-time permits are dealt with by the committee and, in many instances, employers have been persuaded to employ a second and even a third shift, with the result that more people have been put to work and relief rolls reduced. All civilian employees required in Ontario by the Department of National Defence will be obtained through out employment service and close contact is being maintained with all firms manufacturing war supplies, in an effort to provide them with the skilled labour that is needed. In this connection the training schools that have been established for aircraft mechanics, welders and machine shop work will be of particular value. A marked improvement in industrial relations is indicated by the fact that loss of time due to strikes is only half that of 1938 and one-eighth of the year previous, due, in large measure, to the Government conciliation service.

Increasing activity within the Province is shown in the aggregate primary loads of the co-operative systems of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission which increased from 1,340,000 horse-power in October, 1938, to 1,500,000 horse-power in October, 1939, a gain of 12 per cent. The total load, including the Northern Ontario properties, is close to 2,000,000 horse-power, which is the highest ever carried. Adequate power resources are available to meet any present wartime needs and plans that will take care of possible future demands are under way. During the year, more than 13,000 new rural customers were added and 2,300 miles of primary lines constructed. This makes a total of 18,000 miles of rural lines serving 113,000 customers. The aggregate load supplied to the rural power districts increased by over 15 per cent. during the year.

The question of safeguarding vital hydro properties became urgent when war broke out, but as the result of previous preparation by the Attorney-General's

Department there was no delay in providing effective protection. The Provincial Police force has been augmented by placing on duty 139 reserve constables and 596 veteran guards. These guards, armed and uniformed, are now in a commendable state of efficiency. As a further measure of co-ordination the motorcycle patrol has been merged with the Provincial Police.

For several months past, the Attorney-General's Department has been carrying out a survey of the administration of justice, and legislation will be submitted to you containing some important proposed changes.

The Department of Health, since the summer of 1938 when new legislation became effective, has made considerable progress in the fight against tuberculosis. There is now a marked shortening of the interval between discovery of a case and admission to sanatorium, while after-care has made possible a shorter stay. This has resulted in greater numbers passing through the various sanatoria. Milk pasteurization is now effective in all but the smallest of communities. This will result in lasting benefit to both children and adults. Legislation will be submitted to you for licensing and regulating diagnostic and public health laboratories, some of which are operated privately; and also for controlling fresh air camps with respect to sanitation, water and food supply.

The mining industry of the Province registered an all-time high record in 1939, with a production estimated at \$237,000,000, as against \$220,000,000 in 1938. It is confidently expected that the production for 1940 will be still higher.

Eight new gold producers were reported in 1939, bringing the total number of active gold mills to sixty-six, from which over \$109,000,000 was recovered. The nickel-copper industry also showed marked improvement, the output value being estimated at more than \$100,000,000, an increase of nearly eight per cent. over 1938.

The year 1939 also marked the resumption of iron mining in the Province, when the Helen Mine was reopened. This is the first production of domestic iron ore since 1924 and it was made possible by the passing of The Iron Ore Bounty Act of 1937 by the Legislature. It is of interest to note that recently the War Supply Board summoned the President of the mine to Ottawa and he informed the Board that at present 1,200 tons of ore are being produced daily and this will shortly be increased to the huge total of 1,800 tons daily. As practically all ore in Canada was previously imported, the beneficial effect of this development cannot be overestimated, both with respect to our war effort and our internal economy.

For the present fiscal year the revenue of the Department of Game and Fisheries is expected to reach a record high of \$1,000,000, leaving a balance over current expenditure of approximately \$400,000, which is a substantial increase over previous years. The development of hatcheries and rearing ponds has been steadily pursued and the re-stocking programme has produced extremely satisfactory results. These activities play an important part, along with our excellent highway system, in attracting tourists to Ontario and it is worthy of note that despite the war there was an increase in visitors with extended permits. It is estimated that tourists spent approximately \$100,000,000 in Ontario last year.

and, with overseas travel suspended, Ontario should benefit correspondingly during the present year.

Considerable new construction was carried out by the Department of Highways last year, particularly in Northern Ontario, and the maintenance of existing highways must be continued. It will be necessary, however, to limit capital expenditure to replacements which are essential if salvage value is not to be lost, and to the rebuilding, particularly in Northern Ontario, of bridges which are worn out. Prisoners from provincial institutions are at work on the highway out of Long Lac and this has made available the industrial farm at Langstaff for use as an Ontario hospital.

The Department of Education is directing its efforts to maintaining the normal activities of the schools and is co-operating with various agencies to provide educational facilities for young men who have enlisted. The results of the changes made in the courses of study in recent years appear to be satisfactory.

Marked progress has been made in dealing with municipal default. Of the \$104,000,000 in default in 1934 over \$92,000,000 has been refunded and plans for refunding an additional \$10,400,000 are now before the Ontario Municipal Board. The municipal debt which amounted to \$494,000,000 at the end of 1933, was reduced by the end of 1938 to \$404,000,000. During the same period the per capita levy was reduced from \$36.97 to \$34.24. It can be asserted, therefore, that Ontario municipalities are now in a sound position. Assumption by the Province of all payments formerly borne by the municipalities with respect to provincial highways, Mothers' Allowances, old age pensions and indigent patients in sanatoria, together with increased aid to township roads and the one and a half mill subsidy have undoubtedly played a large part in this improvement. Legislation will be introduced providing for the payment of this subsidy on the basis of equalized assessment for county purposes and not on the basis of local assessment, as at present. As a measure of war-time economy, legislation providing for a two-year term for municipal councils will also be placed before you.

During the calendar year 1939 there was expended in Ontario approximately \$21,470,000 for unemployment relief, of which the Province paid \$9,560,000 and the municipalities \$5,150,000. In 1938 the municipal share was 27.64 per cent. Since April 1st, 1939, this has been reduced to 18.50 per cent. With increased employment relief expenditures continue to fall steadily.

The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway reports improved earnings during the year just closed, freight traffic being much higher since the outbreak of war. Exploration of the lignite deposits at Onakawana has been carried out in recent months and further development of this important asset will continue in 1940.

More than 170 members of the Civil Service have already enlisted and an Order-in-Council has been passed ensuring that their positions will be kept open for them. In view of the need for economy, they are not being replaced unless absolutely necessary and, since the first days of war, all new appointees have been required to sign a declaration that their services are to be of a temporary character only. The Assembly will be pleased to hear that Pilot D. A. Willis, who recently

had the honour of describing to His Majesty the first British flight over Berlin, was formerly employed at Queen's Park.

The Public Accounts for the year ending March 31st, 1939, have been issued and estimates for the ensuing year will shortly be placed before you.

In addition to the legislation already mentioned, Bills will be introduced to extend The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, and to amend The Public Health Act, The Public Hospitals Act, The Fire Insurance Act, The Highway Traffic Act, The Highway Improvement Act, The Succession Duty Act, The Assessment Act, The Municipal Act, and various other statutes.

In conclusion, I trust that Divine Providence will guide your deliberations to the promotion of the public welfare.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to retire.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that he had received a message from His Majesty the King in reply to the address of welcome presented to Their Majesties on the occasion of Their visit to the Legislative Assembly on May 22nd, 1939, which message was read by Mr. Speaker as follows:—

The Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario.

The kind words and the loyal assurances, to which the Address from the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario gives expression, are most gratifying, and I desire to thank the Assembly and the people of Ontario for their most friendly welcome.

I am much touched by the allusions to my revered Father, His late Majesty King George the Fifth, which are contained in your Address.

The Queen and I are charmed by the beauty of your Province and much impressed with the vigorous life of its communities. We are delighted by our visit to this your Capital, a city rich in historic memories.

The people of Ontario, the central Province of the Dominion, have, by their great qualities, made a very significant contribution to the material progress of Canada and an equally important one to the formation of its national character.

On behalf of The Queen, I desire to thank you most sincerely for your expressions of devotion, and I shall not fail to tell our daughters of your affectionate interest in their welfare.

It gives us the utmost pleasure to be with you. We regret that the shortness of the time at our disposal will not permit us to see more of the splendid natural resources of Ontario, or to visit your fine educational institutions.

We pray that Divine Providence, in Its wisdom, may continue to bring peace and prosperity to the people of Ontario.

GEORGE R.I.

22nd May, 1939.

Mr. Leduc, from the Select Committee appointed on April 27th, 1939, to inquire into the administration of the Department of Lands and Forests, presented their first report, which was read as follows and adopted:—

The Select Committee of the Ontario Legislature, appointed to inquire into the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests held its first sitting in Committee Room No. 1, Parliament Buildings, on Friday, December 1st. All members of the Committee with the exception of the Hon. C. A. Campbell were present. A letter from Hon. Mr. Campbell was read, intimating that he would be unable to attend meetings of the Committee due to the fact that he is a member of the Canadian Active Service Force. The method of proceeding with the inquiry was discussed, and Mr. Nixon moved, seconded by Col. G. A. Drew,

“That the Chairman of this Committee do ask the House to appoint an additional member to the Committee in the place and stead of the Honourable Colin A. Campbell, now on Active Service, and also for leave for the Committee to sit concurrently with the House, and to ask also that power be given to the Committee to summon witnesses and to order the production of documents.”

The motion was adopted.

The Committee adjourned until the 12th day of January, 1940, at 10.30 in the morning.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor be taken into consideration To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That Select Standing Committees of this House, for the present Session, be appointed for the following purposes: 1. On Privileges and Elections; 2. On Railways; 3. On Miscellaneous Private Bills; 4. On Standing Orders; 5. On Public Accounts; 6. On Printing; 7. On Municipal Law; 8. On Legal Bills; 9. On Agriculture; 10. On Fish and Game; 11. On Labour.

Which said Committees shall severally be empowered to examine and enquire into all such matters and things as shall be referred to them by the

House, and to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon, with power to send for persons, papers and records.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Leduc,

Ordered, That the name of Mr. Heenan be substituted for the name of Mr. Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie) in the list of Members named by this House on Thursday, April 27th, 1939, to constitute a Select Committee as authorized by the House on Tuesday, April 18th, 1939, to investigate, inquire into, and report upon all matters pertaining to the administration, licensing, sale, supervision, and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests.

And that the said Select Committee shall have full power and authority to call for persons, papers, and things, and to examine witnesses under oath, and the Assembly doth hereby command and compel the attendance before the said Select Committee of such persons and the production of such papers and things as the said Committee may deem necessary for any of its proceedings or deliberations, for which purpose the Honourable the Speaker may issue his warrant or warrants.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 18), intituled “An Act to exempt Officers of His Majesty’s Air Force from Jury Duty.” *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 19), intituled “The Mortgagors’ and Purchasers’ Relief Act, 1940.” *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 20), intituled “An Act to amend The Insurance Act.” *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 21), intituled “An Act respecting Survivorship in Common Disasters.” *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Nixon (Brant) presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Public Accounts of the Province of Ontario for the twelve months ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 1.*)

Ordered, That the Public Accounts of the Province be referred to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Interim Report of the Commission to inquire into Cancer Remedies as of December 30th, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 40.*)

Also, Report of the Niagara Parks Commission for year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 41.*)

Also, Statement of Expenditures of Royal Ontario Museum for year ending June 30th, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 42.*)

Also, Orders-in-Council made pursuant to The Ontario Insurance Act and The Guarantee Companies Securities Act, Department of Insurance. (*Sessional Papers No. 43.*)

Also, Report of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission for year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 23.*)

Also, Return to an Order of the House dated April 27th, 1939, that there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. How much did the new bridge on Highway No. 11 situated in Burk's Falls and opened in 1938, cost; (a) What was the amount of the original contract; (b) If changes were made what did these alterations cost; (c) How many engineers, surveyors, inspectors and superintendents were employed in connection with this structure. (*Sessional Papers No. 44.*)

The House then adjourned at 3.50 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Friday next—Select Committee to strike the Standing Committees ordered by this House; also, Select Committee to assist Mr. Speaker in the care of the Library; also, Select Committee to direct the expenditure of any sum set apart in the estimates for Art purposes.

Mr. Conant—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Jurors Act; also, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Mr. Dewan—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act.

No. 1

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, JANUARY 11TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'Clock P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Newlands, the Petition of Harold Percy Wright and Richard Dawson of the City of Hamilton and George Appleton of the City of Toronto et al; also, the Petition of the Young Women's Christian Association of Hamilton.

By Mr. Frost, the Petition of St. Paul's Congregation of the United Church of Canada in Orillia; also, the Petition of the Corporation of the Village of Sturgeon Point.

By Mr. Strachan, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Toronto.

By Mr. Hagey, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Brantford.

By Mr. Fletcher, the Petition of William C. Wride and Josie Wride.

By Mr. Cooper, the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Chelmsford.

By Mr. McEwing, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Melancthon.

By Mr. Mackay, the Petition of the Young Men's Christian Association of Hamilton.

The Order of the Day for the Consideration of the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session having been read,

Mr. Fairbank moved, seconded by Mr. Bégin,

That an humble Address be presented to the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

*To The Honourable Albert Matthews,
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario.*

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has addressed to us.

And a Debate having ensued, it was, on the motion of Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

On the motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That a Select Committee of nine members be appointed to prepare and report, with all convenient dispatch, lists of the members to compose the Select Standing Committees ordered by this House, to be composed as follows:—

Messrs. Freeborn (Chairman), Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Glass, Henry, Kidd, Nixon (Brant), Oliver and Strachan.

The quorum of the said Committee to consist of three members.

The House then adjourned at 4.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Cross—On Monday next—The Tax Sales Confirmation Act, 1940; also, The Local Government Extension Act, 1940.

No. 2

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, JANUARY 12TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Cholette, the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Bonfield.

By Mr. Baker, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of North York.

The following Petitions were read and received:—

Of Harold Percy Wright and Richard Dawson of the City of Hamilton and George Appleton of the City of Toronto, et al, praying that an Act may pass constituting the petitioners as the Society of Cost and Industrial Accountants of Ontario.

Of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the said Corporation to cancel the assessment of rooming houses for the taxes of 1939, to prohibit the Consumers' Gas Company of Toronto levying any service charge or meter rental, and for other purposes.

Of St. Paul's Congregation of the United Church of Canada in Orillia, praying that an Act may pass confirming the title of the petitioners in certain properties.

Of the Corporation of the City of Brantford, praying that an Act may pass authorizing a special assessment on a graduated scale for certain industries in the City of Brantford.

Of William C. Wride and Josie Wride, praying that an Act may pass vesting

in the petitioners the ownership of certain properties in the Township of Gosfield in the County of Essex.

Of the Corporation of the Village of Sturgeon Point, praying that an Act may pass placing the Village under Part IV of The Power Commission Act.

Of the Young Men's Christian Association of Hamilton, praying that an Act may pass fixing the assessment of the property of the petitioners at the sum of \$25,000.00.

Of the Young Women's Christian Association of Hamilton, praying that an Act may pass fixing the assessment of the property of the petitioners at the sum of \$25,000.00.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Chelmsford, praying that an Act may pass bringing the Town within the authority of Part IV of the Power Commission Act.

Of the Corporation of the Township of Melancthon, praying that an Act may pass validating certain by-laws governing the collection of taxes in connection with a certain drainage plan for the Townships of Melancthon and Osprey.

Mr. Freeborn, from the Select Committee appointed to strike the Standing Committees of the House, presented its report, which was read, as follows, and adopted:—

Your Committee recommends that the Standing Committees of the House, as listed hereunder, be composed as follows:—

COMMITTEE ON STANDING ORDERS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Arnott, Baker, Bélanger, Black, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Cooper, Croll, Croome, Drew, Duckworth, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Guthrie, Habel, Henry, Houck, Kidd, King, Lamport, Leduc, Macfie, MacGillivray, MacKay, Miller, Murray, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Robertson, Sinclair, Strachan and Welsh—41.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

COMMITTEE ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Armstrong, Baird, Baker, Bélanger, Black, Brownridge, Carr, Conacher, Conant, Cooper, Croll, Croome, Cross, Dewan, Drew, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Freeborn, Frost, Glass, Gordon, Hagey, Heenan, Henry, Hipel, Hunter, Kidd, King, Kirby, Macaulay, Murphy, Murray, McQuesten, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Roebuck, Simpson, Stewart, Strachan, Welsh—45.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON RAILWAYS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Anderson, Armstrong, Baird, Baker, Bradley, Brownridge, Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Carr, Challies, Conacher, Cox, Croome, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Duckworth, Dunbar, Duncan, Elgie, Gallagher, Glass, Gordon, Habel, Hagey, Haines, Heenan, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Hipel, Hunter, Kelly, Kidd, Kirby, Macaulay, Macfie, Mercer, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, McQuesten, Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Robertson, Sinclair, Smith, Spence, Strachan, Summerville, Trottier, Welsh—54.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE BILLS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Anderson, Armstrong, Arnott, Baird, Baker, Ballantyne, Bégin, Bélanger, Bethune, Black, Blakelock, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Conacher, Conant, Cooper, Cox, Croll, Croome, Cross, Dewan, Dickson, Downer, Drew, Duckworth, Dunbar, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fairbank, Fletcher, Freeborn, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Hagey, Haines, Henry, Hipel, Houck, Hunter, Kelly, Kennedy, Kidd, King, Kirby, Lamport, Leduc, Macaulay, Macfie, Mackay, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, Newlands, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Roebuck, Sinclair, Smith, Stewart, Strachan, Summerville, Trottier, Welsh—71.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Anderson, Armstrong, Arnott, Baird, Baker, Ballantyne, Bélanger, Black, Blakelock, Bradley, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Challies, Conant, Cooper, Cox, Cross, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Drew, Duckworth, Dunbar, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fairbank, Fletcher, Freeborn, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Gordon, Habel, Hagey, Heenan, Henry, Hipel, Houck, Kelly, Kidd, Kirby, Lamport, Leduc, Macaulay, Macfie, MacGillivray, Mackay, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, McQuesten, Newlands, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Roebuck, Simpson, Smith, Stewart, Strachan, Welsh—69.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON PRINTING

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Bégin, Bélanger, Campbell (Kent East), Challies, Cholette, Conacher, Cooper, Croome, Downer, Dunbar, Duncan, Fairbank, Gallagher, Guthrie, Henry, Hunter, Kidd, King, Kirby, Leduc, Murphy, McEwing, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Simpson, Strachan—28.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five Members.

COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL LAW

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Baird, Ballantyne, Bégin, Bethune, Black, Blakelock, Bradley, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Challies, Cholette, Cooper, Cox, Croll, Cross, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Drew, Duckworth, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Freeborn, Gallagher, Gardhouse, Glass, Gordon, Hagey, Haines, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Hipel, Houck, Kelly, Kidd, King, Kirby, Lamport, Macaulay, Macfie, MacGillivray, Mackay, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, McQuesten, Oliver, Robertson, Sinclair, Smith, Spence, Stewart, Strachan, Summerville, Trottier—60.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON LEGAL BILLS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Arnott, Baird, Bethune, Bradley, Conant, Cooper, Cox, Croll, Cross, Drew, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Frost, Gordon, Glass, Hagey, Henry, Kidd, Kirby, Leduc, Macaulay, McQuesten, Newlands, Roebuck, Stewart, Strachan—29.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five Members.

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Armstrong, Baker, Ballantyne, Bégin, Bethune, Black, Blakelock, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Carr, Challies, Cholette, Croome, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Downer, Drew, Duckworth, Duncan, Fletcher, Freeborn, Gardhouse, Guthrie, Habel, Heenan, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Houck, Hunter, Kennedy, Kidd, King, Macfie, MacGillivray, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Robertson, Sinclair, Spence, Strachan, Trottier, Welsh—54.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON FISH AND GAME

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Armstrong, Baker, Ballantyne, Bélanger, Black, Blakelock, Bradley, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Carr, Challies, Cholette, Conacher, Cooper, Cox, Croome, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Drew, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fairbank, Fletcher, Freeborn, Gardhouse, Gordon, Guthrie, Habel, Haines, Heenan, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Hunter, Kelly, Kidd, Kirby, Lamport, Macfie, MacGillivray, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Robertson, Sinclair, Smith, Spence, Strachan, Trottier, Welsh—61.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON LABOUR

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Arnott, Blakelock, Challies, Cholette, Conacher, Cross, Dickson, Drew, Duckworth, Dunbar, Elliott, Fairbank, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Gordon, Haines, Hagey, Heenan, Hipel, Kelly, Kidd, King, Kirby, Macaulay, Mackay, Newlands, Oliver, Roebuck, Smith, Spence, Stewart, Strachan, Trotter—36.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to act with Mr. Speaker in the control and management of the Library, to be composed as follows:—

Messrs. Armstrong (Chairman), Arnott, Baird, Bélanger, Duncan, Henry, King, Leduc and Robertson.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to direct the expenditure of any sum set apart by the Estimates for Art Purposes, to be composed as follows:—

Messrs. Hunter (Chairman), Bélanger, Black, Kelly, Kidd, McQuesten, Murray, Oliver and Patterson.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 22), intituled, “An Act to confirm Tax Sales.” *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 23), intituled, “An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act, 1938.” *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 18), An Act to exempt Officers of His Majesty's Air Force from Jury Duty.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 19), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1940.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 20), An Act to amend The Insurance Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Survivorship in Common Disasters.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The House then adjourned at 3.45 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

No. 3

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TORONTO, MONDAY, JANUARY 15TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Corporation of the Township of North York, praying that an Act may pass prohibiting the annexation of any part of the Township to another municipality for a period of five years and to alter the date for the election of School Trustees.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Bonfield, praying that an Act may pass bringing the Town within the provisions of Part IV of the Power Commission Act.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 22), An Act to confirm Tax Sales.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 19), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1940, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 20), An Act to amend The Insurance Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Survivorship in Common Disasters, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Board of Governors of the University of Toronto for the year ending June 30th, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 12.*)

The House then adjourned at 3.20 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet to-morrow (Tuesday), January 16th, in Committee Room No. 2, at 10.30 a.m., for organization and business.

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, JANUARY 16TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 24), intituled, "The Local Government Extension Act, 1940."
Mr. Cross.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Hunter,

Ordered, That the Debate be further adjourned until to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 4.45 p.m.

R. PATTERSON,
Pro Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Companies Act; also, An Act to amend The Change of Name Act, 1939; also, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Mr. Simpson—On Thursday next—The School Law Amendment Act; 1940; also, An Act to amend The Teachers and Inspectors Superannuation Act; also, An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act, 1938.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet to-morrow (Wednesday), January 17th, in Committee Room No. 2, at 10.00 a.m., for organization and business.

No. 5

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Nixon (Temiskaming), the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Charlton.

By Mr. Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Napanee.

By Mr. Duncan, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of London.

Mr. Glass, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their First Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee on Standing Orders has carefully examined the following Petitions and finds the notices as published in each case sufficient:—

Of Harold Percy Wright and Richard Dawson, of the City of Hamilton, and George Appleton, of the City of Toronto, et al, praying that an Act may pass to incorporate The Society of Cost and Industrial Accountants of Ontario.

Of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the said Corporation to cancel the assessment of rooming houses for the taxes of 1939, to prohibit the Consumers Gas Company of Toronto levying any service charge or water rental and for other purposes.

Of William C. Wride and Josie Wride, praying that an Act may pass vesting in the petitioners the ownership of certain properties in the Township of Gosfield in the County of Essex.

Of the Young Men's Christian Association of Hamilton, praying that an Act may pass fixing the assessment of the property of the petitioners at the sum of \$25,000.00.

Of the Young Women's Christian Association of Hamilton, praying that an Act may pass fixing the assessment of the property of the petitioners at the sum of \$25,000.00.

On the motion of Mr. Nixon (Brant), seconded by Mr. Conant,

Ordered, That Mr. Patterson be appointed as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House for the present Session.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 25), intituled, "An Act to amend The Companies Act." *Mr. Conant*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 26), intituled, "An Act to amend The Change of Name Act, 1939." *Mr. Conant*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 19), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1940.

Bill (No. 20), An Act to amend The Insurance Act.

Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Survivorship in Common Disasters.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 23), An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act, 1938.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Lamport,

Ordered, That the Debate be further adjourned until to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Order-in-Council passed pursuant to the provisions of The Mining Act (*Sessional Papers No. 45.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Ontario Historical Society for the year 1938-1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 38.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.25 p.m.

R. PATTERSON,
Pro Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Kirby—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act.

Mr. Kidd—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Have any lands been purchased by the Government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, since March 15th, 1939. 2. If so, how many acres of land were purchased since March 15th, 1939: (a) From whom was the land purchased; (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. What has been the total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. What is the total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case, since March 15th, 1939. 6. What is the total amount expended without tenders since March 15th, 1939. 7. What amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender, since March 15th, 1939.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Inquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total expenditure since February 1st, 1939, to date on: (a) Long Lac Diversion Project; (b) Ogoka Diversion Project; by the (1) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (2) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. Are there any further expenditures or obligations due on these projects. If so, give amounts.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total deficit on all rural power districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-

Electric Power Commission after full provisions have been made for renewals, resources, contingencies, etc., for each year from October 31st, 1934, to end of October 31st, 1939.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) How many rural power districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission have deficits after full provisions have been made for the regular renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., during 1939, and what was the total deficits; (b) What changes have been made, if any, in the provision for renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., on rural power districts under the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since October 31st, 1938.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue received from customers served by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the Hydro, years 1938-1939. 2. What were (a) Operating expenses, (b) Maintenance cost, (c) Interest charges, (d) Other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the reserves for renewals and contingencies.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power taken each month in h.p. from each of the Quebec Power Companies in 25 cycle and 60 cycle power since January, 1938.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the 20-minute peak demand for electric energy for Eastern Ontario Hydro-Electric Power System for the months of November, December and January, for the years of 1937-38-39.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What power plants have been purchased by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since November 5th, 1936, giving particulars in each case as to (a) Installed capacity; (b) Price paid; (c) Date of construction; (d) Location; (e) Date of purchase.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What system or systems secured power from the Chats Falls plant during Hydro years of 1937-38-39, and what was the 20-minute peak in h.p. per month in each case. 2. What system or systems were charged for the carrying charges of the frequency charger at the Chats Falls plant and what was the yearly charge and how allocated.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System, inclusive of power used for steam production, export power, contractual obligations and peak demand, for the months of November, December and January, for the years of 1937-38-39.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts, with dates, have been paid by the Government to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since October 31st, 1938, under The Rural Hydro-Electric Power District Service Act of 1930.

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, JANUARY 18TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Corporation of the Town of Charlton, praying that an Act may pass bringing the Town within the provisions of Part IV of The Power Commission Act.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Napanee, praying that an Act may pass separating the said Town from the County of Lennox and Addington for municipal purposes.

Of the Corporation of the City of London, praying that an Act may pass confirming and validating an agreement for the establishment of an air port and the purchase of the land needed therefor and for other purposes.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 1), intituled, "An Act to incorporate The Society of Cost and Industrial Accountants of Ontario." *Mr. Newlands.*

Referred to Committee on Private Bills.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) moved, seconded by Mr. McQuesten, That this House has heard with interest the reports made by the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition of the result of their visit to Ottawa to discuss war measures

with the National Government and this House hereby endorses the statements made by the two members in question and joins with them in regretting that the Federal Government at Ottawa has made so little effort to prosecute Canada's duty in the war in the vigorous manner the people of Canada desire to see.

The Motion having been put was declared by Mr. Speaker to be carried and the yeas and nays having been demanded the Motion was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Acres	Gardhouse	Mercer
Arnott	Gordon	Murphy
Baird	Guthrie	Murray
Ballantyne	Henry	McQuesten
Black	Hepburn	Newland
Blakelock	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Nixon
Brownridge	Hepburn	(Brant)
Challies	(Elgin)	Reynolds
Conant	Hipel	Simpson
Cross	Houck	Sinclair
Dewan	Kelly	Smith
Drew	Kidd	Stewart
Duckworth	Kirby	Strachan
Elgie	Lamport	Summerville
Freeborn	Leduc	Welsh—44
Frost	Macaulay	

NAYS

Armstrong	Croome	Macfie
Baker	Dickson	MacKay
Campbell	Fairbank	Roebuck—10
(Kent, East)	Habel	

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Fletcher,

Ordered, That the Debate be further adjourned until Tuesday next.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

R. PATTERSON,
Pro Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Leduc—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Mining Act; also, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.

Mr. Conant—On Monday next—An Act to disqualify Subversive Persons from holding Public Office.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Resolution—That there be laid before the House a Return showing agreement or agreements made between the Government, or the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, and any, or all, power companies, relative to the export of power now being made to Massena, New York.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the average total h.p. exported or sold each month to persons or corporations in the United States by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario during each of the years 1937-38-39. 2. What are the names of all persons or corporations in the United States receiving power from the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, together with the h.p. in each case.

Mr. Stewart—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did the Government acquire any property abutting or adjacent to the club known as the Brown Derby, on the new Middle Road ("Queen Elizabeth Way"). 2. If so, from whom purchased. 3. What was the purchase price. 4. On what date was it purchased. 5. What was the amount of property acquired.

Mr. Stewart—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Within the last year, how many times has the Reeve or Municipal officials of municipalities adjacent to Toronto asked for Provincial Police assistance in prosecuting places suspected of gambling. 2. How often has such assistance been given. 3. How often has such assistance been declined. 4. Is Provincial Police action taken only upon the request of a municipality, or is no action taken by the Provincial Police unless Provincial aid is asked for. 5. Have any requests ever been received from Toronto. 6. How many Toronto requests were acted upon. 7. On how many Toronto requests were no action taken.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bill will be considered by the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Tuesday, the 23rd day of January inst.:—

Bill (No. 1), intituled, "An Act to incorporate the Society of Cost and Industrial Accountants of Ontario."

No. 7

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TORONTO, FRIDAY JANUARY 19TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 10), intituled, "An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Men's Christian Association." *Mr. MacKay.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 11), intituled, "An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Women's Christian Association." *Mr. Newlands.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read, ‘

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Strachan,

Ordered, That the Debate be further adjourned until Monday next.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 25), An Act to amend The Companies Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Change of Name Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 24), The Local Government Extension Act, 1940.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Civil Service Commissioner of Ontario for the year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 37.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Public Service Superannuation Board, Ontario, for year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 36.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.30 p.m.

R. PATTERSON,
Pro Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act, 1939.

Mr. Hagey—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Wednesday, the 24th day of January next:—

Bill (No. 10), intituled, "An Act respecting the Hamilton Young Men's Christian Association."

Bill (No. 11), intituled, "An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Women's Christian Association."

No. 8

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TORONTO, MONDAY, JANUARY 22ND, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Murray, the Petition of the Corporation of the Village of Killaloe Station.

By Mr. Miller, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 29), intituled, "An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 30), intituled, "An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act." *Mr. Leduc.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 22), An Act to confirm Tax Sales, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 23), An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act, 1938, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Change of Name Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Bélanger,

Ordered, That the Debate be further adjourned until to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 4.15 p.m.

R. PATTERSON,
Pro Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. McQuesten—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Mr. Duncan—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

No. 9

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, JANUARY 23RD, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Fletcher, the Petition of the Canadian Transit Company.

By Mr. Strachan, the Petition of the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives.

The following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Corporation of the Village of Killaloe Station, praying that an Act may pass bringing the said Village within the terms of Part IV of The Power Commission Act.

Of the Corporation of the City of Sault Ste. Marie, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the said Corporation to establish a system of transportation for the City and to terminate the rights of the International Transit Co.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 22), An Act to confirm Tax Sales.

Bill (No. 23), An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act, 1938.

Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Change of Name Act, 1939.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time,

The motion having been put was carried, and it was

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, as follows:—

*To The Honourable Albert Matthews,
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario.*

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has addressed to us.

The Address, having been read the second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Address be engrossed and presented to The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor by those Members of this House who are Members of the Executive Council.

The House then adjourned at 4.35 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Dewan—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Wheat Control Act.

No. 10

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23RD, 1940

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TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Canadian Transit Company, praying that an Act may pass validating an agreement between the Company and the City of Windsor for a fixed assessment.

Of the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives praying that an Act may pass validating an agreement for the transfer of the assets of the Hospital to the National Sanitarium Association.

On the motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House will, on Friday next, resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.

On the motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House will, on Friday next, resolve itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

On the motion of Mr. Nixon (Brant), seconded by Mr. Cross,

Ordered, That the names of Mr. Doucett and Mr. Reynolds be added to the Standing Committee on Private Bills.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 31), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act." *Mr. Duncan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 32), intituled, "An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act." *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 29), An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 30), An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 25), An Act to amend The Companies Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 24), The Local Government Extension Act, 1940, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Statement of Legislative grants apportioned to the Rural Public Schools and all Separate Schools for the year 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 39.*)

Also, Report on the operation of The Trade Schools Regulation Act, 1938, for the year 1939. (*Sessional Papers, No. 46.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.25 p.m.

R. PATTERSON,
Pro Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Kirby—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Mr. Murphy—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total capital expenditure of the Queen Elizabeth highway from Brown's Line to Hamilton in 1939. 2. What was the total maintenance cost of the Queen Elizabeth highway from Brown's Line to Hamilton in 1939.

Mr. Murphy—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of property purchased for the Queen Elizabeth highway between the Humber River and Brown's Line. 2. What was the total cost of the grading construction of the bridges and viaducts. 3. Who are the contractors and what was the cost of each contract.

Mr. Lamport—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Mr. Arnott—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What amount has the Government disbursed for direct relief from September 2nd, 1939, to January 15th, 1940.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 2, to-morrow (Thursday), January 25th, at 10.00 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in Committee Room No. 2, to-morrow (Thursday), January 25th, at 10.30 a.m.

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, JANUARY 25TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Glass, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has carefully examined the following petitions and find the notices as published in each case sufficient.

Of the Corporation of the Township of Melancthon, praying that an Act may pass validating certain by-laws governing the collection of taxes in connection with the certain drainage plan for the Townships of Melancthon and Osprey.

Of St. Paul's Congregation of the United Church of Canada in Orillia, praying that an Act may pass confirming the Title of the petitioners in certain properties.

Of the Corporation of the City of Brantford, praying that an Act may pass authorizing a special assessment on a graduated scale for certain industries in the City of Brantford.

Of the Corporation of the Village of Sturgeon Point, praying that an Act may pass placing the Village under Part IV of The Power Commission Act.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Napanee, praying that an Act may pass separating the said Town from the County of Lennox and Addington for Municipal purposes.

Of the Canadian Transit Company, praying that an Act may pass validating an agreement between the Company and the City of Windsor for a fixed assessment.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 4), intituled, “An Act respecting St. Paul’s Congregation of the United Church of Canada in Orillia.” *Mr. Frost.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 8), intituled, “An Act respecting the Village of Sturgeon Point.” *Mr. Frost.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 14), intituled, “An Act respecting The Canadian Transit Company.” *Mr. Fletcher.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 2), intituled, “An Act respecting the City of Toronto.” *Mr. Strachan.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 3), intituled, “An Act respecting the Township of Melancthon.” *Mr. McEwing.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 5), intituled, “An Act respecting the City of Brantford.” *Mr. Hagey.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 16), intituled, “An Act respecting the Town of Napanee.” *Mr. Hepburn* (Prince Edward-Lennox).

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill (No. 25), An Act to amend The Companies Act.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 29), An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 30), An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 24), The Local Government Extension Act, 1940, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Ontario Athletic Commission for year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 35.*)

Also, Orders-in-Council pertaining to the Department of Education, 1939-1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 47.*)

Also, Report of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 20.*)

The House then adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

R. PATTERSON,
Pro Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Kennedy—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Weed Control Act.

Mr. Conant—On Monday next—Resolution—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the consideration of the following Resolution:—

That the exemption from taxation under *The Succession Duty Act, 1939*, provided for by clause g of subsection 1 of section 4 of the said Act be limited so as to apply only in the case of a father, mother or any brother, sister, son, daughter, son-in-law, or daughter-in-law of the deceased or any person adopted while under the age of eighteen years by the deceased under *The Adoption Act*,

and also be limited to cases where the disposition was made more than twenty years before the date of death of the deceased.

Mr. McQuesten—On Monday next—An Act respecting the Blue Water Bridge.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Resolution—That there be laid before this House a Return showing all surveys and minutes of meetings of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission relative to or involved in the proposed development of the international section of the St. Lawrence River since October 1st, 1937.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Resolution—That there be laid before this House a Return showing all letters, memoranda, communications and reports relative to the development of the international section of the St. Lawrence River for Hydro power since October 1st, 1937, of or in possession of:—

1. The Government of Ontario or any member of such Government.
2. The Hydro-Electric Power Commission or any member of such Commission.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Tuesday, the 30th of January next.

Bill (No. 4), intituled, "An Act respecting St. Paul's Congregation of the United Church of Canada in Orillia."

Bill (No. 8), intituled, "An Act respecting the Village of Sturgeon Point."

Bill (No. 14), intituled, "An Act respecting The Canadian Transit Company."

Bill (No. 2), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Toronto."

Bill (No. 3), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Melancthon."

Bill (No. 5), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Brantford."

Bill (No. 16), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Napanee."

No. 12

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, JANUARY 26TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 33), intituled, "An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act, 1939."

Mr. Conant.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 34), intituled, "An Act to amend The Assessment Act." *Mr.*

Lamport.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 29), An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act.

Bill (No. 30), An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question:—

1. Within the last year, how many times has the Reeve or Municipal officials of municipalities adjacent to Toronto asked for Provincial Police assistance in prosecuting places suspected of gambling. 2. How often has such assistance been given. 3. How often has such assistance been declined. 4. Is Provincial Police action taken only upon the request of a municipality, or is no action

taken by the Provincial Police unless Provincial aid is asked for. 5. Have any requests ever been received from Toronto. 6. How many Toronto requests were acted upon. 7. On how many Toronto requests were no action taken.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:

1. None. 2. Answered by No. 1. 3. Answered by No. 1. 4. Action taken on request of Municipality. 5. No. 6. Answered by No. 5. 7. Answered by No. 5.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The House then adjourned at 3.35 p.m.

R. PATTERSON,
Pro Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Roebuck—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—How many applications are pending, i.e., have been received and not granted or rejected by notice to the applicant: (a) for Old Age Pensions and (b) for Mothers' Allowance.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 2 on Tuesday, January 30th, at 10.00 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 2 on Tuesday, January 30th, at 10.30 a.m.

No. 13

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TORONTO, MONDAY, JANUARY 29TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 35), intituled, "An Act to amend The Public Health Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 36), intituled, "An Act to amend The Weed Control Act." *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Conant, seconded by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting certain exemptions under the conditions of The Succession Duty Act.

Mr. Hepburn acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved—That the exemption from taxation under *The Succession Duty Act, 1939*, provided for by clause g of subsection 1 of section 4 of the said Act be

limited so as to apply only in the case of a father, mother or any brother, sister, son, daughter, son-in-law, or daughter-in-law of the deceased or any person adopted while under the age of eighteen years by the deceased under *The Adoption Act*, and also be limited to cases where the disposition was made more than twenty years before the date of death of the deceased.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, that the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved—That the exemption from taxation under *The Succession Duty Act, 1939*, provided for by clause g of subsection 1 of section 4 of the said Act be limited so as to apply only in the case of a father, mother or any brother, sister, son, daughter, son-in-law, or daughter-in-law of the deceased or any person adopted while under the age of eighteen years by the deceased under *The Adoption Act*, and also be limited to cases where the disposition was made more than twenty years before the date of death of the deceased.

The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act, 1939.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 4.45 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Law Society Act; also, An Act to amend The Solicitors' Act; also, An Act to amend The Securities Act.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 2, to-morrow (Tuesday), January 30th, at 10.00 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 2, to-morrow (Tuesday), January 30th, at 10.30 a.m., for organization and business.

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, JANUARY 30TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By. Mr. Black, the Petition of the Corporation of the County of Lennox and Addington.

Mr. Glass from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented their third and final report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has carefully examined the following Petitions and finds the notices as published in each case sufficient:—

Of the Corporation of the Township of North York, praying that an Act may pass prohibiting the annexation of any part of the Township to another municipality for a period of five years and to alter the date for the election of School Trustees.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Bonfield, praying that an Act may pass bringing the Town within the provisions of Part IV of The Power Commission Act.

Of the Corporation of the City of London, praying that an Act may pass confirming and validating an agreement for the establishment of an airport and the purchase of the land needed therefore and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Chelmsford, praying that an Act may pass bringing the Town within the authority of Part IV of The Power Commission Act.

Of the Corporation of the Village of Killaloe Station praying that an Act may pass bringing the said village within the terms of The Power Commission Act.

Of the Corporation of the Village of Charlton, praying that an Act may pass bringing the Town within the provisions of Part IV of The Power Commission Act.

Of the Corporation of the City of Sault Ste. Marie, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the said Corporation to establish a system of transportation and to terminate the rights of the International Transit Company.

Of the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives praying that an Act may pass validating an agreement for the transfer of the assets of the Hospital to the National Sanitarium Association.

In connection with the petition of the Corporation of the County of Lennox and Addington asking for validation of a by-law (No. 735) for the purpose of equalizing the assessment of the several Townships, Towns and Villages in the said County, your Committee reports the petition on the understanding that the application be advertised at least twice in the *Ontario Gazette* and in a paper published in the said County.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their First Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting St. Paul's Congregation of The United Church of Canada in Orillia.

Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the City of Brantford.

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Sturgeon Point.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Men's Christian Association.

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Women's Christian Association.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting St. Paul's Congregation of The United Church of Canada in Orillia; Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Men's Christian Association and Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Women's Christian Association, on the ground that they relate to religious institutions.

Ordered, That the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting St. Paul's Congregation of the United Church of Canada in Orillia; Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting The Hamilton

Young Men's Christian Association and Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Women's Christian Association on the ground that they relate to religious institutions.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 6), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of North York." *Mr. Baker.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 9), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Chelmsford." *Mr. Cooper.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 12), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Bonfield." *Mr. Cholette.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 13), intituled, "An Act respecting the Village of Killaloe Station." *Mr. Murray.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 15), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Charlton." *Mr. Nixon* (Temiskaming).

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 17), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of London." *Mr. Duncan.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 27), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie." *Mr. Miller.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 28), intituled, "An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives." *Mr. Strachan.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 37), intituled, "An Act respecting the County of Lennox and Addington." *Mr. Black.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 7), intituled, "An Act respecting William C. Wride and Josie Wride." *Mr. Fletcher.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 38), intituled, "The School Law Amendment Act, 1940." *Mr. Simpson.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 39), intituled, "An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act, 1938." *Mr. Simpson.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 40), intituled, "An Act respecting the Blue Water Bridge." *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 41), intituled, "An Act to amend The Income Tax Act. *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 42), intituled, "An Act to amend The Solicitors' Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 43), intituled, "An Act to amend The Law Society Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 15):—

1. What was the total capital expenditure of the Queen Elizabeth highway from Brown's Line to Hamilton in 1939. 2. What was the total maintenance cost of the Queen Elizabeth highway from Brown's Line to Hamilton in 1939.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. \$108,341.26. 2. \$69,972.89.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 36), An Act to amend The Weed Control Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 34), An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 24), The Local Government Extension Act, 1940, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 4.15 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939; also, The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1940.

Mr. Cross—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Department of Municipal Affairs Act; also, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

Mr. Challies—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is

the total amount paid by Ontario Rural Hydro users under the 8% Dominion War Tax since its inception until 1st January, 1940, or later date available giving such date. 2. Upon what date did the Act become effective.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Monday the Fifth day of February next:—

Bill (No. 6), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of North York."

Bill (No. 9), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Chelmsford."

Bill (No. 12), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Bonfield."

Bill (No. 13), intituled, "An Act respecting the Village of Killaloe Station."

Bill (No. 15), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Charlton."

Bill (No. 17), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of London."

Bill (No. 27), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie."

Bill (No. 28), intituled, "An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives."

Bill (No. 37), intituled, "An Act respecting the County of Lennox and Addington."

Bill (No. 7), intituled, "An Act respecting William C. Wride and Josie Wride."

No. 15

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TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31ST, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was read and received:—

Of the County of Lennox and Addington, praying that an Act may pass validating by-law No. 735 of the said County for the purpose of fixing the equalization of the County assessment for the years 1940 and 1941.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 44), intituled, "An Act to amend The Teachers and Inspectors Superannuation Act." *Mr. Simpson.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 45), intituled, "An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for the third reading of Bill (No. 24), The Local Government Extension Act, 1940, having been read,

And the Motion having been put, was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Dewan	Kelly
Armstrong	Dickson	Kirby
Baker	Duncan	Leduc
Ballantyne	Elliott	MacGillivray
Bethune	Fairbank	Mercer
Blakelock	Fletcher	Murray
Bradley	Freeborn	Nixon
Brownridge	Gardhouse	(Brant)
Campbell	Gordon	Nixon
(Kent, East)	Guthrie	(Temiskaming)
Carr	Habel	Patterson
Cholette	Haines	Simpson
Conant	Hepburn	Sinclair
Cooper	(Elgin)	Smith
Cox	Hipel	Strachan—45.
Croome	Houck	
Cross	Hunter	

NAYS

Acres	Dunbar	Murphy
Arnott	Frost	Reynolds
Baird	Henry	Roebuck
Black	Hepburn	Spence
Challies	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Stewart
Downer	Kennedy	Summerville
Drew	Kidd	Welsh—22.
Duckworth	Macaulay	

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and passed.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Friday next—Resolution—That this House will on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole House to consider the following Resolution:—

Resolved that

(a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1939 and every fiscal year thereafter pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby;

(b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1939 and all fiscal years thereafter; and

(c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1939 and all fiscal years thereafter.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 46), intituled, "An Act to amend The Securities Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 40), An Act respecting the Blue Water Bridge.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

No. 17

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 47), intituled, "An Act to amend The Judicature Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 48), intituled, "An Act to amend The Jurors Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 6):—

1. What was the total peak power taken each month in h.p. from each of the Quebec Power Companies in 25 cycle and 60 cycle power since January, 1938.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

TWENTY-MINUTE PEAK IN HORSEPOWER

	Gatineau Power Co. 220,000 volt, 25 cycle Contract	MacLaren- Quebec Power Company	Beauhar- nois Light, Heat & Power Company	Ottawa Valley Power Company	GATINEAU POWER COMPANY— 60 CYCLE		
					110 Kv. Delivery	11 Kv. Delivery	Treadwell Delivery
1938—January	162,466	41,555	126,005	98,525	41,957	20,107	
February	164,477	42,225	126,005	99,196	41,957	19,571	
March	164,477	42,225	127,346	103,217	41,957	19,839	
April	165,147	41,555	126,676	93,163	44,571	20,107	
May	166,488	42,225	127,346	98,525	41,957	20,107	
June	166,890	54,290	126,676	89,142	41,957	19,839	
July	161,796	44,906	126,676	87,131	41,957	18,499	
August	167,158	44,236	126,005	90,483	41,957	19,035	
September	166,488	41,555	126,676	96,515	41,957	20,241	
October	167,560	41,555	126,005	104,558	60,054	20,107	
November	202,681	61,662	150,804	109,249	61,796	20,107	97
December	203,083	65,684	151,475	111,930	64,075	20,107	129
1939—January	203,753	69,705	150,804	103,887	63,003	20,375	105
February	203,753	65,684	150,804	111,260	62,332	19,839	129
March	203,083	63,003	150,804	96,515	62,466	19,839	125
April	203,753	67,694	151,475	95,174	61,930	20,107	157
May	205,764	63,003	151,475	93,499	62,735	20,241	185
June	203,753	64,343	151,475	91,153	61,662	20,107	185
July	204,424	65,013	152,145	97,185	60,322	18,767	129
August	204,424	64,343	151,475	99,196	60,322	19,169	217
September	205,362	65,013	152,145	108,579	60,054	20,375	225
October	204,424	64,343	152,145	114,611	64,343	19,973	209
November	266,086	63,673	152,145	113,941	65,013	20,107	209
December	276,139	64,343	154,826	113,606	65,684	20,107	193

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 7):—

1. What was the 20-minute peak demand for electric energy for Eastern Ontario Hydro-Electric Power System for the months of November, December and January, for the years of 1937-38-39.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

EASTERN ONTARIO SYSTEM

TOTAL SYSTEM 20-MIN. PEAKS

	1937	1938	1939
January	126,334 H.P.	149,015 H.P.	152,137 H.P.
November	146,843 "	161,414 "	168,638 "
December	149,853 "	161,103 "	155,214 "

TOTAL SYSTEM PRIMARY 20-MIN. PEAKS

	1937	1938	1939
January	113,874 H.P.	119,425 H.P.	123,678 H.P.
November	125,804 "	131,066 "	139,228 "
December	124,718 "	132,001 "	145,542 "

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 8):—

1. What power plants have been purchased by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since November 5th, 1936, giving particulars in each case as to (a) Installed capacity; (b) Price paid; (c) Date of construction; (d) Location; (e) Date of purchase.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

Power Plants Purchased	Installed Capacity (h.p.)	Price Paid	Date of Construction	Location	Date of Purchase
Crystal Falls from Abitibi Power & Paper.....	10,000	\$800,000	1921	Sturgeon R.	Aug. 5th, 1937
Canada Cement Co.....	1,000	\$225,000 (Including Transmission Lines)	1903	Douro,	Dec. 1st, 1936
Canada Cement Co.....	2,300		1926	Otonabee R. Lakefield,	Dec. 1st, 1936
Canada Cement Co.....	700		1900	Otonabee R. Young's Pt.,	Dec. 1st, 1936
Quinte & Trent Valley Power Co.....	2,800	\$325,000 (Including Transmission Lines)	1928	Frankford	Oct. 1st, 1937
Quinte & Trent Valley Power Co.....	1,000		1926	Campbellford	Oct. 1st, 1937

NOTE:—The Crystal Falls Power Plant was acquired in settlement of claims in respect of certain power contracts with the Abitibi Power & Paper Co.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 9):—

1. What system or systems secured power from the Chats Falls plant during Hydro years of 1937-38-39, and what was the 20-minute peak in h.p. per month in each case. 2. What system or systems were charged for the carrying charges of the frequency charger at the Chats Falls plant and what was the yearly charge and how allocated.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. Niagara 25 cycle system and Eastern Ontario System.

20-MINUTE PEAKS DELIVERED

	Niagara 25 cycle System	Eastern Ontario System
1936—November.....	115,952 H.P.	0
December.....	117,962 "	0
1937—January.....	116,622 "	0
February.....	144,000 "	0
March.....	195,040 "	0
April.....	218,498 "	0
May.....	193,700 "	0
June.....	215,818 "	0
July.....	206,434 "	26,005 H.P.

	Niagara 25 cycle System	Eastern Ontario System
1937—August	195,710 H.P.	22,788 H.P.
September	207,774 “	20,107 “
October	225,202 “	20,777 “
November	222,520 “	26,810 “
December	225,202 “	8,043 “
1938—January	197,050 “	8,043 “
February	198,392 “	0
March	206,434 “	0
April	186,326 “	0
May	197,050 “	0
June	178,284 “	0
July	174,262 “	0
August	180,966 “	0
September	193,030 “	7,373 “
October	202,412 “	22,520 “
November	194,370 “	28,150 “
December	196,380 “	28,820 “
1939—January	207,774 “	13,405 “
February	222,520 “	0
March	193,030 “	0
April	190,348 “	0
May	186,998 “	0
June	179,624 “	25,737 “
July	194,370 “	27,212 “
August	198,392 “	28,485 “
September	189,678 “	29,155 “
October	229,222 “	28,820 “

2. Niagara System. These carrying charges are allocated against all power users in the Niagara System in proportion to the horsepower load delivered to each.

CARRYING CHARGES

	1937	1938	1939
Operating Expense	2,349.32	4,676.15	4,810.95
Maintenance Expense	1,459.89	794.30	707.11
Interest	41,969.73	41,691.12	42,139.40*
Provision for:			
Renewals Reserve	6,875.97	6,871.26	6,870.55
Contingencies Reserve	4,583.98	4,580.84	4,580.37
Sinking Fund Reserve	9,653.86	9,647.25	9,646.26
	<u>66,892.75</u>	<u>68,260.92</u>	<u>68,754.64</u>

*Might be changed slightly when adjustment of cost of power fully complete.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 10):—

1. What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System, inclusive of power used for steam production, export power, contractual obligations and peak demand, for the months of November, December and January, for the years of 1937-38-39.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

NIAGARA 25- AND 66 $\frac{2}{3}$ -CYCLE SYSTEM

	Total Peak Power Sold (Generated and Purchased Peak)	Additional Quantities which Customers were Entitled to Under Contract
1937—January	1,125,469 H.P.	28,000 H.P.
November	1,191,018 “	21,000 “
December	1,317,694 “	20,000 “
1938—January	1,288,874 “	30,000 “
November	1,436,327 “	33,000 “
December	1,435,389 “	36,000 “
1939—January	1,412,064 “	50,000 “
November	1,485,925 “	35,000 “
December	1,514,879 “	30,000 “

NOTE: As the quantities of power shown under Column headed “Additional Quantities which Customers were Entitled to Under Contract” were not taken, no revenue was received for it and consequently it cannot be said to be power sold.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 11):—

1. What amounts, with dates, have been paid by the Government to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since October 31st, 1938, under The Rural Hydro-Electric Power District Service Act of 1930.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. None.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 12):—

1. What is the average total h.p. exported or sold each month to persons or corporations in the United States by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario during each of the years 1937-38-39. 2. What are the names of all persons or corporations in the United States receiving power from the Hydro-Electric Power Commission together with the h.p. in each case.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. Average horsepower exported to the United States at the International Boundary:—

	1937	1938	1939
January	85,815 H.P.	130,955 H.P.	134,846 H.P.
February	115,434 "	91,985 "	136,592 "
March	155,475 "	108,256 "	128,716 "
April	142,678 "	108,787 "	112,254 "
May	133,142 "	125,305 "	136,472 "
June	142,032 "	132,277 "	142,981 "
July	142,995 "	126,106 "	130,554 "
August	139,472 "	113,734 "	157,374 "
September	111,505 "	125,829 "	134,894 "
October	104,285 "	133,647 "	103,013 "
November	116,195 "	145,146 "	118,657 "
December	132,815 "	133,595 "	97,184 "

2. Prior to December 29th, 1939, all export power went to the Niagara Hudson Power Corporation or its subsidiaries. On December 29th, 1939, deliveries were commenced at Cornwall to the Cedars Rapids Transmission Company Limited for export to the Aluminum Company of America.

Mr. Arnott asked the following Question (No. 17):—

What amount has the Government disbursed for direct relief from September 2nd, 1939, to January 15th, 1940.

The Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Public Welfare replied as follows:—

September	\$1,415,180
October	1,339,453
November	1,112,221
December (approximate)	1,500,000
January—Not available.	

The foregoing represents GROSS costs; the Province's share is approximately 42 per cent of the figures given above; the Dominion's, 38 per cent; and the municipalities', 20 per cent.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting St. Paul's Congregation of the United Church of Canada in Orillia.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the City of Brantford.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Sturgeon Point.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting the Hamilton Young Men's Christian Association.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Women's Christian Association.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act, 1938.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Teachers and Inspectors Superannuation Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 40), An Act respecting the Blue Water Bridge, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Public Health Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 36), An Act to amend The Weed Control Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr.

Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill (No. 40), An Act respecting the Blue Water Bridge.

The House then adjourned at 4.20 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Dewan—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Credit Unions Act.

Mr. Heenan—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act.

No. 18

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND, 1940

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Bill (No. 36), An Act to amend The Weed Control Act.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 38), The School Law Amendment Act, 1940.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Solicitors' Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Law Society Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting St. Paul's Congregation of the United Church of Canada in Orillia.

Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the City of Brantford.

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Sturgeon Point.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Men's Christian Association.

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Women's Christian Association.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without amendments.

Ordered, That the Bills reported, be severally read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 39). An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act, 1938, and, after some time spent therein. Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Teachers and Inspectors Superannuation Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 3.25 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Leduc—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Unwrought Metal Sales Act.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Tuesday), February 6th at 10.30 a.m.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH, 1940

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting the Town of Chelmsford.

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Town of Bonfield.

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting the Village of Killaloe Station.

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Charlton.

Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting the City of London.

Your Committee beg to recommend that Bill (No. 1), An Act to Incorporate the Society of Cost and Industrial Accountants of Ontario, be not further proceeded with.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 49), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act." *Mr. Hagey.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for the third reading of Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act, 1939, having been read,

Mr. Conant moved,

That the Bill be now read the third time.

Mr. Drew moved in Amendment, seconded by Mr. Macaulay,

That Bill (No. 33), "An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act" be not now read the third time, but that Order No. 1 be discharged and Bill (No. 33) be referred back to Committee of the Whole House with instructions to amend the same by striking out sections 2, 11, 24 and 25, and by adding thereto after the section now numbered 23, the following section:—

24. Any person against whom a claim has been made by the Crown for payment of any duties which have, or are alleged to have, become chargeable by reason of the death of any person, or who has reasonable grounds for apprehending that a claim may be made against him in respect of any duties which have, or are alleged to have, become so chargeable, may, subject to and in accordance with rules of court, apply in a summary manner to the Supreme Court of Ontario to have it determined whether he is accountable for, or chargeable with, or is or may thereafter become liable to pay those duties, and, if so, to have the extent of his liability determined, and the court shall have power to hear any application made under this section, and to make such order thereon, as seems proper, notwithstanding anything contained in this or any other Act.

And a Debate having arisen, after some time, the Amendment having been put, was lost on the following Division:—

YEAS

Acres	Elgie	Macaulay
Arnott	Frost	Murphy
Black	Henry	Reynolds
Doucett	Hepburn	Spence
Downer	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Stewart
Drew	Kennedy	Summerville
Duckworth	Kidd	Welsh—20

NAYS

Anderson	Brownridge	Dickson
Armstrong	Campbell	Duncan
Baker	(Kent, East)	Elliott
Ballantyne	Carr	Fairbank
Bégin	Cholette	Fletcher
Bélanger	Conant	Gordon
Bethune	Cooper	Guthrie
Blakelock	Croome	Habel
Bradley	Dewan	Hagey

NAYS—Continued

Haines	Leduc	Nixon
Heenan	Macfie	(Brant)
Hepburn (Elgin)	MacGillivray	Nixon
Hipel	MacKay	(Temiskaming)
Houck	Miller	Oliver
Hunter	Murray	Patterson
King	McEwing	Simpson
Kirby	McQuesten	Sinclair
Lamport	Newland	Smith
		Strachan
		Trottier—53

The Motion for Third Reading having then been put, was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Duncan	Macfie
Armstrong	Elliott	MacGillivray
Baker	Fairbank	MacKay
Ballantyne	Fletcher	Miller
Bégin	Gordon	Murray
Bélanger	Guthrie	McEwing
Bethune	Habel	McQuesten
Blakelock	Hagey	Newland
Bradley	Haines	Nixon
Brownridge	Heenan	(Brant)
Campbell (Kent, East)	Hepburn (Elgin)	Nixon
		(Temiskaming)
Carr	Hipel	Oliver
Cholette	Houck	Patterson
Conant	Hunter	Simpson
Cooper	King	Sinclair
Croome	Kirby	Smith
Dewan	Lamport	Strachan
Dickson	Leduc	Trottier—53

NAYS

Acres	Elgie	Macaulay
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Black	Henry	Reynolds
Doucett	Hepburn	Spence
Downer	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Stewart
Drew	Kennedy	Summerville
Duckworth	Kidd	Welsh—20

And the Bill was accordingly read a third time and passed.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting St. Paul's Congregation of the United Church of Canada in Orillia.

Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the City of Brantford.

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Sturgeon Point.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Men's Christian Association.

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting The Hamilton Young Women's Christian Association.

Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act, 1938.

Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Teachers and Inspectors Superannuation Act.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 46), An Act to amend The Securities Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 4.50 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Cross—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Assessment Act; also, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Mr. Lamport—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Mr. Strachan—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Mr. Kidd—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been received from the Federal Government for the Dominion Youth Training Plan: (a) March 31st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939; (b) March 31st, 1939, to date. 2. What amount was spent by the Province of Ontario for the Dominion Youth Training Plan: (a) March 31st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939; (b) March 31st, 1939, to date. 3. How many were trained under this plan: (a) March 31st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939; (b) March 31st, 1939, to date.

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TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 50), intituled, "An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act." *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 49), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting the Town of Chelmsford.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Town of Bonfield.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting the Village of Killaloe Station.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Charlton.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting the City of London.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Solicitors' Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Law Society Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 46), An Act to amend The Securities Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 5.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Leduc—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Mining Act.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Thursday), February 8th, at 10.30 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Thursday), February 8th, at 10.30 a.m.

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Third Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee beg to report the following Bill without amendments:—

Bill (No. 28), An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 28), An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives, on the ground that it relates to a charitable institution.

Ordered, That the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 28), An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives, on the ground that it relates to a charitable institution.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 51), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act." *Mr. Strachan*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 2):—

1. What is the total expenditure since February 1st, 1939, to date on: (a)

Long Lac Diversion Project; (b) Ogoki Diversion Project; by the (1) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (2) The Government of the Province of Ontario.

2. Are there any further expenditures or obligations due on these projects. If so, give amounts.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. (a) (1) From February 1st, 1939, to December 31st, 1939—\$188,897.64; (2) \$7.90; (b) (1) From February 1st, 1939, to December 31st, 1939—\$543.14; (2) Nil. 2. Anticipated further expenditures, Long Lac Diversion—\$4,500.00. There are no unpaid accounts or further obligations in connection with Ogoki River Diversion.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 5):—

1. What was the total revenue received from customers served by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the Hydro years 1938-1939. 2. What were (a) Operating expenses, (b) Maintenance cost, (c) Interest charges, (d) Other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the reserves for renewals and contingencies.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1.	Fiscal year ending	October 31st, 1938	October 31st, 1939
	Revenue.....	\$2,354,734.21	\$2,976,249.68
2.	(a) Operating Expenses..	\$202,975.53	\$233,872.70
	(b) Maintenance Costs... 151,499.50		162,200.62
	(c) Interest Charges..... 932,141.02		994,887.33
	(d) Other Current Ex-		
	penses..... 1,682.58		3,723.46
	Provision for Renewals 242,805.84		243,112.91
	Provision for Sinking		
	Fund..... 708,937.64		857,656.26
	Provision for Contin-		
	gencies and Obsoles-		
	cence..... 36,875.68		160,783.55
		\$2,276,917.79	\$2,656,236.83
3.	Accumulated Reserves as at	October 31st, 1938	October 31st, 1939
	Reserves for Renewals.....	\$1,113,963.92	\$1,403,112.16
	Reserves for Contingencies and		
	Obsolescence.....	353,112.09	470,404.98
	Reserves for Sinking Fund.....	1,988,236.31	2,929,627.46

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 13):—

1. Did the Government acquire any property abutting or adjacent to the club known as the Brown Derby, on the new Middle Road ("Queen Elizabeth

Way"). 2. If so, from whom purchased. 3. What was the purchase price. 4. On what date was it purchased. 5. What was the amount of property acquired.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. No. 2, 3, 4 and 5 answered by 1.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 19):—

1. What is the total amount paid by Ontario Rural Hydro users under the 8% Dominion War Tax since its inception until 1st January, 1940, or later date available giving such data. 2. Upon what date did the Act become effective.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. Amount of Dominion War Revenue Sales Tax charged to Ontario Rural Hydro users to December 31st, 1939—\$60,286.88. 2. Act came into force September 12th, 1939.

NOTE.—In addition to the above, the Commission has billed to consumers in certain local systems, other than Rural Power Districts, an amount of \$6,087.14.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Jurors Act, having been read, and a Debate having arisen, after some time, it was on the Motion of Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 5.25 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Elgie—An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act; also, An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act.

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 52), intituled, "The Credit Unions Act, 1940." *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the second reading of Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Jurors Act, having been read, the Debate continued, and after some time it was on the Motion of Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. Kidd asked the following Question (No. 20):—

1. What amount has been received from the Federal Government for the Dominion Youth Training Plan: (a) March 31st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939, (b) March 31st, 1939, to date. 2. What amount was spent by the Province of Ontario for the Dominion Youth Training Plan: (a) March 31st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939, (b) March 31st, 1939, to date. 3. How many were trained under this plan: (a) March 31st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939, (b) March 31st, 1939, to date.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. (a) \$70,571.80; (b) \$78,381.91 (to January 31st, 1940). 2. (a) \$144,392.47;

(b) \$248,144.61 (to January 31st, 1940). 3. (a) 1,733; (b) 2,645 (to January 31st, 1940).

The Attorney-General tabled certain correspondence with the Treasurer of the Law Society of Upper Canada and Department of Justice at Ottawa re Barlow Report in connection with Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. (*Sessional Papers No. 48.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.25 p.m.

R. PATTERSON,
Pro Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Lamport—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Cemetery Act.

Mr. Conant—On Monday next—Resolution—*Resolved* that the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario in Parliament assembled is of opinion that the grand jury system should be abolished in Ontario, and the said Legislative Assembly hereby requests that the Parliament of Canada pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about the abolition of the grand jury system in the Province of Ontario, and providing for the presentment of a formal charge in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code, Section 873 (5);

AND this Legislative Assembly also requests that legislation be passed by the Parliament of Canada to provide that where a charge is preferred in any case in which the accused has not been committed for trial by a justice, that the trial shall not proceed without the charge being submitted to a judge of a County or District Court in the same manner and for the same and no other purpose as a bill of indictment might have been preferred before a grand jury before the coming into force of such legislation, provided that such judge shall not take part in the trial, if any.

AND this Legislative Assembly further requests that legislation be passed by the Parliament of Canada providing that in any case where any person has been committed for trial at a preliminary hearing before a justice, the Attorney-General or an agent of the Attorney-General may in his discretion before placing any person on trial on such formal charge submit such charge to a judge of the County or District Court in the same manner and for the same and no other purpose as a bill of indictment might have been preferred before a grand jury before the coming into force of such legislation, provided that such judge shall not take part in the trial, if any.

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TORONTO, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

On the motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Drew,

Resolved, That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, desires to place upon its records an expression of the deep sorrow with which its Members and the people of Ontario have learned of the untimely death of His Excellency, the Right Honourable Baron Tweedsmuir of Elsfield, Governor-General of Canada. In the death of our beloved Governor-General we are conscious of a realization of the loss of a man whose departure will leave a vacancy, not only in Canada, but in the Councils of the British Empire, which it will be difficult to fill. The manner in which he identified himself with the life and interests of this Country during his tenure of office endeared him to the Canadian people in a marked degree and his personal qualities of heart and mind secured for him a respect and affection which will never be effaced from Canadian hearts.

To the Lady Tweedsmuir and her family this Assembly extends the warmest sympathy of the people of Ontario on the loss of a devoted husband and an exemplary father. Their grief is our grief and we mourn with them.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That out of respect to the late Right Honourable Baron Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada, when this House adjourns to-day it do stand ad-

journed until Thursday next, the 15th Instant, at Three of the Clock in the afternoon.

The House then adjourned at 3.20 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 2 on Thursday, February 15th, at 10.00 a.m.

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Fourth and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee beg to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the Township of North York.

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Township of Melancthon.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting William C. Wride and Josie Wride.

Bill (No. 27), An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Bill (No. 37), An Act respecting the County of Lennox and Addington.

With respect to Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting the Canadian Transit Company, this Bill was not proceeded with, the same having been withdrawn by the promoter thereof. Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties, if any, and the actual cost of printing be remitted.

With respect to Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Town of Napanee, your Committee beg to recommend that this Bill be not reported.

Ordered, That the fees less the penalties, if any, and the actual cost of printing

be remitted on Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting the Canadian Transit Company, the same having been withdrawn by the promoter thereof.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 53), intituled, "An Act to amend The Cemetery Act." *Mr. Lamport.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 54), intituled, "An Act to amend The Mining Act." *Mr. Leduc.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 55), intituled, "An Act to amend The Unwrought Metal Sales Act." *Mr. Leduc.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 56), intituled, "An Act to amend The Assessment Act." *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 57), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act." *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Hepburn delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from The Lieutenant-Governor, signed by himself; and the said message was read by Mr. Speaker, and is as follows:—

ALBERT MATTHEWS

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the year ending 31st March, 1941, and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, February 15th, 1940.

(Sessional Papers No. 2.)

Ordered, That the message of The Lieutenant-Governor, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Order of the Day for the House to resolve itself into the Committee of Supply having been read,

Mr. Hepburn moved,

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the House do resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.

And a Debate having ensued, it was, on the motion of Mr. Macaulay,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Monday next.

During the course of his presentation of the Budget the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer laid on the Table the following statements:—

TEMPORARY LOANS—TREASURY BILLS

As at March 31st, 1940

Date of Maturity	Date of Issue	Rate %	Series	Amount Outstanding	Where Payable
1940, June 30th	1939, June 30th	1¼% Disc.	EH	\$2,000,000	Canada
Sept. 1st	Sept. 1st	1.50	EP	2,000,000	"
Sept. 1st	Sept. 1st	1.50	EQ	2,000,000	"
Sept. 1st	Sept. 1st	1.50	ER	1,000,000	"
Sept. 1st	Sept. 1st	1.75	ES	5,000,000	"
Sept. 2nd	Sept. 2nd	1¼% Disc.	EN	1,000,000	"
Sept. 13th	Sept. 13th	1.25	RT-W	2,000,000	"
Sept. 13th	1938, Sept. 13th	1.65	RT-Q	5,000,000	"
Sept. 13th	Sept. 13th	1.65	RT-S	5,000,000	"
Sept. 15th	1939 Sept. 15th	1.50	ET	2,000,000	"
Nov. 1st	1938, Nov. 1st	1.65	RT-U	10,000,000	"
Dec. 21st	Dec. 21st	1.65	EM	10,000,000	"
1941, June 1st	June 1st	1.65	RT-N	5,000,000	"
Aug. 1st	Aug. 1st	1.65	RT-O	4,500,000	"
Aug. 1st	Aug. 1st	1.65	EJ	2,500,000	"
Sept. 13th	Dec. 1st	1.65	RT-T	5,000,000	"
				<u>\$64,000,000</u>	

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

STATEMENT SHOWING INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL MATURITIES ON DEBENTURES PAYABLE IN NEW YORK, AND THE ESTIMATED EXCHANGE PAYABLE THEREON
FOR THE PERIOD FROM APRIL 1ST, 1940, TO SEPTEMBER 16TH, 1944

		FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31				Period April 1, 1944 to Sept. 16, 1944
SERIES	MATURITY DATES	1941	1942	1943	1944	
Interest						
AC	1st April and October.....	\$993,600.00	\$993,600.00	\$993,600.00		\$369,150.00
AB	1st April and October.....	738,300.00	738,300.00	738,300.00	\$ 738,300.00	834,100.00
AM	1st May and November.....	1,668,200.00	1,668,200.00	1,668,200.00	1,668,200.00	
B	1st May and November.....	80.00	40.00			
C & D	1st May and November.....	19,880.00	19,880.00			
AK	1st May and November.....	645,075.00	609,075.00	573,075.00	537,075.00	250,537.50
AL	15th May and November.....	982,800.00	962,320.00	941,020.00	918,900.00	453,820.00
AP	15th May and November.....	1,175,107.50	1,154,835.00	1,133,640.00	1,111,500.00	550,125.00
AS	1st June and December.....	1,045,600.00	1,027,980.00	1,009,560.00	990,420.00	490,420.00
AH	1st June and December.....	452,655.00	421,155.00	399,880.00	358,380.00	163,845.00
AN	2nd June and December.....	1,663,375.00	1,663,375.00	1,663,375.00	1,663,375.00	831,687.50
AJ	15th January and July.....	580,815.00	544,815.00	508,815.00	472,815.00	218,835.00
AR	15th January and July.....	1,108,035.00	1,090,665.00	1,072,530.00	1,053,675.00	518,242.50
AG	1st March and September.....	803,340.00	803,340.00	803,340.00	803,340.00	401,670.00
UU & XX	15th March and September.....	813,900.00	813,900.00	813,900.00	406,950.00	
		\$12,690,762.50	\$12,511,480.00	\$12,309,315.00	\$10,723,070.00	\$5,082,432.50
Principal						
AC	October 1st.....					
B	May 1st.....		\$ 2,000.00			
C & D	November 1st.....		497,000.00			
AK	November 1st.....					
AL	May 15th.....	\$800,000.00	800,000.00	\$800,000.00	\$800,000.00	\$586,000.00
AP	May 15th.....	502,000.00	522,000.00	543,000.00	563,000.00	501,000.00
AS	June 1st.....	443,000.00	458,000.00	484,000.00	500,000.00	505,000.00
AH	December 1st.....	432,000.00	449,000.00	468,000.00	486,000.00	
AJ	January 15th.....	700,000.00	695,000.00	700,000.00	682,000.00	
AR	January 15th.....	800,000.00	800,000.00	800,000.00	781,000.00	
AG	September 1st.....	386,000.00	403,000.00	419,000.00	382,000.00	17,852,000.00
UU & XX	September 15th.....				13,565,000.00	
		\$4,063,000.00	\$4,626,000.00	\$24,086,000.00	\$17,759,000.00	\$19,444,000.00
		\$16,753,762.50	\$17,137,480.00	\$36,395,315.00	\$28,482,070.00	\$24,526,432.50

(See Summary next page)

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FOR THE PERIOD FROM APRIL 1ST, 1940, TO SEPTEMBER 16TH, 1944

SUMMARY

	INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL MATURITIES			EXCHANGE		
	Total	Province	Hydro	Total	Province	Hydro
Year ending March 31st, 1941.....	\$16,753,762.50	\$10,224,783.37	\$6,528,979.13	\$1,842,913.88	\$1,124,726.18	\$718,187.70
Year ending March 31st, 1942.....	17,137,480.00	10,420,812.61	6,716,667.39	1,885,122.80	1,146,289.39	738,833.41
Year ending March 31st, 1943.....	36,395,315.00	24,925,697.64	11,469,617.36	4,003,484.65	2,741,826.74	1,261,657.91
Year ending March 31st, 1944.....	28,482,070.00	14,582,202.49	13,899,867.51	3,133,027.70	1,604,042.27	1,528,985.43
April 1st to September 16th, 1944.....	24,526,432.50	13,249,180.22	11,277,252.28	2,697,907.57	1,457,409.82	1,240,497.75
	<u>\$123,295,060.00</u>	<u>\$73,402,676.33</u>	<u>\$49,892,383.67</u>	<u>\$13,562,456.60</u>	<u>\$8,074,294.40</u>	<u>\$5,488,162.20</u>

NOTE—Exchange has been calculated at a rate of 11% premium.

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS ORDINARY EXPENDITURE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1939—MARCH 31ST, 1940

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Expenditure
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 2,163,754.00
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL.....		3,459,729.00
3—EDUCATION.....		12,786,056.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES.....		563,782.00
5—HEALTH:		
Main Office and Branches.....	\$1,086,936.00	
Hospitals Branch.....	9,901,368.00	10,988,304.00
6—HIGHWAYS.....		10,193,366.00
7—INSURANCE.....		59,228.00
8—LABOUR.....		813,560.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS.....		2,150,076.00
10—LEGISLATION.....		287,750.00
11—LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.....		9,650.00
12—MINES.....		382,305.00
13—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.....		4,651,194.00
14—PRIME MINISTER.....		181,134.00
15—PROVINCIAL AUDITOR.....		118,500.00
16—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:		
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	117,745.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	2,229,696.00	2,347,441.00
17—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:		
Main Office.....	778,073.00	
Budget Committee Office.....	10,672.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch.....	432,118.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch.....	34,331.00	
Post Office.....	141,579.00	
Savings Office.....	274,038.00	1,670,811.00
18—PUBLIC WELFARE:		
Main Office and Branches.....	382,838.00	
Old Age Pensions Commission.....	3,382,811.00	
Mothers' Allowances Commission.....	5,209,538.00	8,975,187.00
19—PUBLIC WORKS.....		857,223.00
MISCELLANEOUS.....		4,694.00
STATIONERY ACCOUNT.....		29,379.00
		\$ 62,693,123.00
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest, Exchange, etc.....		30,838,134.00
		\$ 93,531,257.00
ADD: Unemployment Direct Relief and Administration thereof.....		9,369,672.00
		\$102,900,929.00

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS CAPITAL PAYMENTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1939—MARCH 31ST, 1940

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	GROSS CAPITAL PAYMENTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Advances	Trust Fund Repayments
AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 27,500.00	
EDUCATION.....	\$ 65,638.00		
GAME AND FISHERIES.....	11,255.00		
HIGHWAYS.....	20,791,302.00		
LANDS AND FORESTS.....	397,423.00		
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....			\$ 831,264.00
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....		757,280.00	385,519.00
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	2,050,000.00	50,000.00	
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Dominion Government:			
Old Age and Blind Pensions.....		10,115,191.00	
PUBLIC WORKS.....	2,634,333.00		
	<u>\$25,949,951.00</u>	<u>\$10,949,971.00</u>	<u>\$1,216,783.00</u>

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$25,949,951.00
Loan Advances.....	10,949,971.00
Trust Fund Repayments.....	1,216,783.00
	<u>\$38,116,705.00</u>

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF GROSS ORDINARY REVENUE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1940

D E P A R T M E N T	F O R E C A S T		I N T E R I M		D I F F E R E N C E		
	Detail	Total	Detail	Total	Detail Increase -I Decrease -D	Net Increase -I Decrease -D	
AGRICULTURE.....	\$.....	\$ 339,000.00	\$.....	\$ 378,000.00	\$.....	\$ 39,000.00-I	
ATTORNEY-GENERAL.....	.....	1,032,000.00	.....	1,113,000.00	.....	81,000.00-I	
EDUCATION.....	.....	140,000.00	.....	136,000.00	.....	4,000.00-D	
GAME AND FISHERIES.....	.....	880,000.00	.....	1,009,000.00	.....	129,000.00-I	
HEALTH:							
Main Office and Branches.....	59,000.00		67,000.00		8,000.00-I		
Hospitals Branch.....	1,509,000.00	1,568,000.00	1,414,000.00	1,481,000.00	95,000.00-I	87,000.00-D	
HIGHWAYS:							
Main Office and Branches.....	10,000.00		14,000.00		4,000.00-I		
Gasoline Tax Branch.....	25,000,000.00		25,000,000.00				
Permits, Gas Pumps, etc.....	90,000.00		96,000.00		6,000.00-I		
Motor Vehicles Branch.....	9,200,000.00	34,300,000.00	7,987,000.00	33,097,000.00	1,213,000.00-D	1,203,000.00-D	
INSURANCE.....	.....	230,000.00	.....	229,000.00	.....	1,000.00-D	
LABOUR.....	.....	140,000.00	.....	132,000.00	.....	8,000.00-D	
LANDS AND FORESTS.....	.....	3,126,000.00	.....	3,500,000.00	.....	374,000.00-I	
LEGISLATION.....	.....	14,000.00	.....	13,000.00	.....	
MINES.....	.....	2,600,000.00	.....	2,254,000.00	.....	346,000.00-D	
MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:							
Main Office and Municipal Board.....	10,000.00		31,000.00		21,000.00-I		
Housing Branch.....	35,000.00	45,000.00	62,000.00	93,000.00	27,000.00-I	48,000.00-I	
PRIME MINISTER.....	.....	20,000.00	.....	18,000.00	.....	2,000.00-D	
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:							
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	368,000.00		349,000.00		19,000.00-D		
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	914,000.00	1,282,000.00	954,000.00	1,303,000.00	40,000.00-I	21,000.00-I	
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:							
Main Office—Subsidy.....	2,941,000.00		2,941,000.00				
Interest.....	73,000.00		73,000.00				
Miscellaneous.....	.....		6,000.00		6,000.00-I		
Liquor Control Board.....	10,750,000.00		9,800,000.00		950,000.00-D		

Controller of Revenue Branch:

Succession Duty.....	.....	13,400,000.00	.....	3,600,000.00-D	.....
Corporation Tax.....	.....	9,382,000.00	.....	6,000.00-D	.....
Race Tracks.....	.....	612,000.00	.....	.....	.....
Income Tax.....	.....	6,200,000.00	.....	200,000.00-I	.....
Security Transfer Tax.....	.....	454,000.00	.....	246,000.00-D	.....
Land Transfer Tax.....	.....	223,000.00	.....	27,000.00-D	.....
Law Stamps.....	.....	403,000.00	.....	3,000.00-I	.....
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch.....	.....	201,000.00	.....	16,000.00-I	.....
Savings Office.....	48,578,000.00	274,000.00	43,969,000.00	5,000.00-D	4,609,000.00-D
PUBLIC WORKS.....	47 000 00	.....	187,000.00	.....	140,000.00-I
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest.....	94,341,000.00	.....	88,913,000.00	.....	\$5,428,000.00-D
	9,060,000.00	.....	9,543,000.00	.....	483,000.00-I
	\$103,401,000.00	.....	\$98,456,000.00	.....	\$4,945,000.00-D

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS ORDINARY REVENUE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1939—MARCH 31ST, 1940

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Revenue
1—AGRICULTURE		\$ 378,000.00
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL		1,113,000.00
3—EDUCATION		136,000.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES		1,009,000.00
5—HEALTH:		
Main Office and Branches	\$ 67,000.00	
Hospitals Branch	1,414,000.00	1,481,000.00
6—HIGHWAYS:		
Main Office	14,000.00	
Gasoline Tax	25,000,000.00	
Permits, Gas Pumps, etc.	96,000.00	
Motor Vehicles Branch	7,987,000.00	33,097,000.00
7—INSURANCE		229,000.00
8—LABOUR		132,000.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS		3,500,000.00
10—LEGISLATION		14,000.00
11—MINES		2,254,000.00
12—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:		
Main Office	9,000.00	
Municipal Board	22,000.00	
Housing Branch	62,000.00	93,000.00
13—PRIME MINISTER		18,000.00
14—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:		
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch	349,000.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch	954,000.00	1,303,000.00
15—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:		
Main Office—Subsidy	2,941,000.00	
Interest	73,000.00	
Miscellaneous	6,000.00	
Liquor Control Board	9,800,000.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch:		
Succession Duty	13,400,000.00	
Corporation Tax	9,382,000.00	
Race Tracks	612,000.00	
Income Tax	6,200,000.00	
Security Transfer Tax	454,000.00	
Land Transfer Tax	223,000.00	
Law Stamps	403,000.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection	201,000.00	
Savings Office	274,000.00	43,969,000.00
16—PUBLIC WORKS		187,000.00
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest		\$88,913,000.00
		9,543,000.00
		<u>\$98,456,000.00</u>

SUMMARY

Gross Ordinary Revenue	\$98,456,000.00
Less: Gross Ordinary Expenditure (before providing for Unemployment Direct Relief, Provision for Sinking Funds and Maturing Railway Aid Certificates.)	92,406,632.00

Surplus: (before providing for Unemployment Direct Relief, Provision for Sinking Fund, and Maturing Railway Aid Certificates.....)	6,049,368.00
Less: Unemployment Direct Relief and Administration thereof.....	\$9,369,672.00
Provision for Sinking Fund.....	1,038,655.00
Maturing Railway Aid Certificates....	85,970.00
	<u>10,494,297.00</u>
Interim Deficit.....	<u>\$ 4,444,929.00</u>

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS CAPITAL RECEIPTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1939—MARCH 31ST, 1940

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	GROSS CAPITAL RECEIPTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Repayments	Trust Fund Deposits
AGRICULTURE.....	\$	\$ 39,220.00	\$
HIGHWAYS.....	46,382.00	.....	.....
LANDS AND FORESTS.....	76,161.00	.....	.....
MINES.....	75,277.00	.....	.....
MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.....	.....	214,987.00	.....
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....	.....	.....	1,345,000.00
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....	.....	2,805,533.00	221,420.00
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	.....	2,566,049.00	.....
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Old Age and Blind Pensions Commission.....	.....	10,115,191.00	.....
PUBLIC WORKS.....	11,250.00	.....	.....
	<u>\$209,070.00</u>	<u>\$15,740,980.00</u>	<u>\$1,566,420.00</u>

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$ 209,070.00
Loan Repayments.....	15,740,980.00
Trust Fund Deposits.....	1,566,420.00
	<u>\$17,516,470.00</u>

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

DETAIL SUMMARY ACCOUNTING FOR ESTIMATED INCREASE IN GROSS DEBT
FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 31ST, 1940

GROSS DEBT INCREASED BY:

Capital Disbursements—			
Highways, Public Buildings, Public Works, etc.	\$25,949,951.00		
Less—Capital Receipts.....	209,070.00		
	<u>\$25,740,881.00</u>		
Discount on Debentures, etc., issued during year	812,975.00		
Loan Advances—			
Municipal Debentures (Net).....	104,564.00		
Payments re Guaranteed Debentures (Net).....	354,319.00		
Deficit—			
Deficit on Ordinary Account.....	\$4,444,929.00		
Less—Provisions charged to			
Ordinary Expenditure—			
Railway Aid Certificates.. \$	85,970.00		
Sinking Fund Instalments	1,038,655.00	1,124,625.00	3,320,304.00
		<u>332,613.00</u>	\$30,665,656.00

GROSS DEBT DECREASED BY:

Loan Repayments—			
Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario	\$2,521,811.00		
Agricultural Development Board	2,401,000.00		
Tile Drainage (Net)	71,643.00		
Housing Loans.....	214,987.00		
Miscellaneous (Net)	40,384.00	5,249,825.00	
		<u>924,777.00</u>	
Discount on Debentures, etc., written off.....		8,679.00	
Earnings on Sinking Fund Investments (Net).....		136.00	6,183,417.00
Increase in Reserves			
Estimated Increase as at March 31st, 1940		<u>\$24,482,239.00</u>	

NOTE.—The above estimated increase in Gross Debt has been based upon the actual receipts and disbursements for the period from April 1st, 1939, to January 31st, 1940, and estimated receipts and disbursements for February and March, 1940.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

STATEMENT OF CAPITAL EXPENDITURES WHICH CORRESPONDINGLY INCREASE THE CAPITAL ASSETS OF THE PROVINCE
FOR THE PERIOD FROM NOVEMBER 1, 1934, TO MARCH 31, 1940

	5 months ended March 31, 1935	YEAR ENDED				Estimated Mar. 31/40	Total \$
		Mar. 31/36	Mar. 31/37	Mar. 31/38	Mar. 31/39		
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
AGRICULTURE:							
Purchase of Land, Erection of Buildings, etc.	.....	.....	.....	58,978.98	.....	.....	58,978.98
EDUCATION:							
University of Toronto.....	.....	65,638.43	65,638.43	65,638.43	65,638.43	65,638.43	328,192.15
GAME AND FISHERIES:							
Erecting Ponds, Buildings and Dams, Purchase of Land, Buildings, Machinery, equipment.....	.....	16,139.83	27,997.38	50,554.53	16,902.91	11,254.94	122,849.59
HEALTH:							
Radium Emanation Plants, and Purchase of Radium.....	39,567.29	167,035.51	6,559.42	.....	.....	.....	213,162.22
HIGHWAYS:							
Road Construction and Northern Ont. Roads	11,506,386.39	15,658,944.61	9,459,983.21	34,622,186.12	32,887,878.35	20,791,301.27	124,926,679.95
LANDS AND FORESTS:							
Reforestation, Surveys, Clearing Townsites, Equipment.....	97,656.24	290,430.05	415,494.35	312,952.89	390,176.92	397,423.18	1,904,133.63
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:							
Additions and Alterations, Guelph and Burwash.....	.....	.....	74,321.92	65,422.62	.....	.....	139,744.54
PUBLIC WORKS:							
Construction of New Buildings, Roads, Bridges, etc.....	335,466.79	263,039.57	219,574.55	2,015,118.07	4,850,461.77	2,634,332.73	10,317,993.48
PUBLIC WELFARE:							
Retire Bonded Indebtedness, Alexandra Industrial School.....	.....	20,000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,000.00
HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER COMMISSION OF ONTARIO:							
Bonuses, Rural Transmission Lines.....	120,000.00	305,000.00	1,000,000.00	1,770,000.00	3,030,000.00	2,050,000.00	8,275,000.00
Miscellaneous.....	.....	211.84	.....	1,857.38	.....	.....	2,069.22
	12,099,076.71	16,786,439.84	11,269,569.26	38,962,709.02	41,241,058.38	25,949,950.55	146,308,803.76

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

STATEMENT SHOWING VARIOUS NET ORDINARY EXPENDITURES, BY FISCAL PERIODS
FROM NOVEMBER 1, 1934, TO MARCH 31, 1940

	Five months ending March 31/35	YEAR ENDING MARCH 31				(Interim) 1940	Total
		1936	1937	1938	1939		
EDUCATION.....	\$ 3,429,631.44	\$ 9,835,581.81	\$10,001,950.31	\$11,143,886.65	\$12,504,922.47	\$12,649,911.06	\$ 59,565,883.74
HEALTH.....	3,055,582.99	6,187,596.83	6,128,023.08	7,576,768.90	8,077,017.49	9,563,325.62	40,588,314.91
AGRICULTURE.....	690,618.76	1,531,781.13	1,546,471.94	1,753,862.10	1,809,962.63	1,785,840.55	9,118,537.11
UNEMPLOYMENT DIRECT RELIEF AND ADMINISTRATION THERE- OF.....	8,192,673.31	21,813,368.20	13,270,057.29	9,996,164.35	10,175,482.56	9,369,671.60	72,817,417.31
MOTHERS' ALLOWANCES.....	747,886.55	2,133,489.86	2,477,971.29	4,851,641.50	5,000,040.68	5,067,881.50	20,278,911.38
OLD AGE PENSIONS.....	687,087.26	1,770,885.31	1,882,713.46	3,082,112.46	3,166,625.40	3,239,381.38	13,828,805.27
PENSIONS FOR THE BLIND.....	.....	.....	.....	12,848.00	66,251.81	75,276.44	154,376.25
SUBSIDIES—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.....	.....	.....	.....	2,920,962.96	2,941,477.08	4,450,075.84	10,312,515.88
	<u>\$16,803,480.31</u>	<u>\$43,272,703.14</u>	<u>\$35,307,187.37</u>	<u>\$41,338,246.92</u>	<u>\$43,741,780.12</u>	<u>\$46,201,363.99</u>	<u>\$226,664,761.85</u>

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO
CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

BONDS, ETC., GUARANTEED BY THE PROVINCE, ESTIMATED AS AT MARCH 31ST, 1940

Total (as per Public Accounts, March 31st, 1939)	\$143,838,873.98
ADD—New Guarantees for period from April 1st, 1939, to January 31st, 1940—	
Co-Operative Associations	5,000.00
	<u>\$143,843,873.98</u>

LESS—Principal Maturities redeemed during period from April 1st, 1939, to January 31st, 1940—

By Province of Ontario—

Co-Operative Associations	\$ 15,000.00
Housing	67,537.16
Municipalities	2,828.19
Schools	31,349.77

\$ 116,715.12

By Municipalities—

Co-Operative Associations	\$ 99,600.00		
Housing	99,105.12		
Municipalities	52,852.84		
Park Commissions	103,000.00		
Power Commissions	6,329,000.00		
Railways	525,000.00		
Schools	160,882.69		
Universities	90,676.09	7,460,116.74	7,576,831.86

\$136,267,042.12
19,146.66

LESS—Sinking Fund Deposits—April 1st, 1939, to January 31st, 1940

Net Liability of the Province as at January 31st, 1940

\$136,247,895.46

LESS—Principal Maturities to be redeemed during February and March, 1940—

By Province of Ontario—

Housing	\$ 42,735.98
Municipalities	1,346.38
Schools	138.12

\$ 44,220.48

By Municipalities and Others—

Housing	\$ 5,514.14		
Railways	200,000.00		
Schools	11,604.33	217,118.47	261,338.95

\$135,986,556.51
100.00

LESS—Estimated Sinking Fund Deposits—February and March, 1940

Estimated Net Liability of the Province as at March 31st, 1940

\$135,986,456.51

SUMMARY

Contingent Liability of the Province—March 31st, 1939	\$143,838,873.98
Estimated Contingent Liability of the Province—March 31st, 1940	135,986,456.51
Estimated Decrease	<u><u>\$ 7,852,417.47</u></u>

BUDGET FORECAST OF ORDINARY REVENUE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1940—MARCH 31ST, 1941

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Revenue	Application of Revenue to Expenditure	Detail	Net Ordinary Revenue
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 327,618.00			\$ 327,618.00
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL:					
Main Office and Branches.....		1,057,050.00	\$ 121,650.00		935,400.00
3—EDUCATION.....		100,000.00			100,000.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES.....		922,000.00			922,000.00
5—HEALTH:					
Main Office and Branches....	\$ 60,120.00		2,000.00	\$ 58,120.00	
Hospital Branch.....	1,390,500.00	1,450,620.00		1,390,500.00	1,448,620.00
6—HIGHWAYS					
Main Office and Branches....	10,000.00			10,000.00	
Gasoline Tax Branch.....	24,000,000.00			24,000,000.00	
Miscellaneous Permits Branch.....	90,000.00			90,000.00	
Motor Vehicles Branch.....	8,500,000.00	32,600,000.00		8,500,000.00	32,600,000.00
7—INSURANCE.....		220,000.00			220,000.00
8—LABOUR.....		80,000.00	3,500.00		76,500.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS:					
Main Office and Branches....		3,486,306.40			3,486,306.40
10—LEGISLATION.....		11,500.00			11,500.00
11—MINES.....		2,158,257.00	5,000.00		2,153,257.00
12—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:					
Main Office and Municipal Board.....		21,250.00			21,250.00
13—PRIME MINISTER:					
King's Printer—Ontario Gazette.....		16,000.00			16,000.00
14—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:					
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	329,100.00			329,100.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	901,000.00	1,230,100.00	682,000.00	219,000.00	548,100.00
15—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:					
Main Office—Subsidy.....	2,941,424.00			2,941,424.00	
Interest.....	73,000.00			73,000.00	
Liquor Control Board.....	9,500,000.00			9,500,000.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch					
Succession Duty.....	12,000,000.00			12,000,000.00	
Corporations Tax.....	15,000,000.00			15,000,000.00	
Race Tracks.....	525,000.00			525,000.00	
Income Tax.....	5,000,000.00			5,000,000.00	
Security Transfer Tax.....	350,000.00			350,000.00	
Land Transfer Tax.....	225,000.00			225,000.00	
Law Stamps.....	365,000.00			365,000.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch.....	170,000.00			170,000.00	
Savings Office.....	276,824.36	46,426,248.36	276,824.36		46,149,424.00
16—PUBLIC WORKS.....		49,034.00	13,800.00		35,234.00
MISCELLANEOUS.....		100,000.00	100,000.00		
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest, etc., Foreign Exchange....	\$8,917,189.75	\$90,255,983.76	\$1,204,774.36	8,917,189.75	\$89,051,209.40
TOTAL.....		\$99,891,361.21	\$10,840,151.81		\$89,051,209.40

SUMMARY

Net Ordinary Revenue.....	\$89,051,209.40
Net Ordinary Expenditure (not including Unemployment Relief).....	82,744,970.24
EXCESS OF ORDINARY REVENUE OVER ORDINARY EXPENDITURE.....	\$6,306,239.16
Estimated Net Expenditure on account of Unemployment Direct Relief and administration thereof.....	5,950,000.00
SURPLUS FORECAST.....	\$ 356,239.16

BUDGET FORECAST OF ORDINARY EXPENDITURE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1940—MARCH 31ST, 1941

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Expenditure	Application of Revenue to Expenditure	Detail	Net Ordinary Expenditure
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 2,128,885.00			\$ 2,128,885.00
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL:.....					
Main Office and Branches....		3,186,410.00	\$ 121,650.00		3,064,760.00
3—EDUCATION.....		12,000,000.00			12,000,000.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES....		610,000.00			610,000.00
5—HEALTH:.....					
Main Office and Branches....	\$ 1,226,260.00		2,000.00	1,224,260.00	
Hospitals Branch.....	9,420,790.00	10,647,050.00		9,420,790.00	10,645,050.00
6—HIGHWAYS:.....					
Main Office and Branches....	10,969,300.00			10,969,300.00	
Motor Vehicles Branch.....	402,000.00	11,371,300.00		402,000.00	11,371,300.00
7—INSURANCE.....		61,000.00			61,000.00
8—LABOUR.....		500,000.00	3,500.00		496,500.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS:.....					
Main Office and Branches....		2,312,000.00			2,312,000.00
10—LEGISLATION.....		273,000.00			273,000.00
11—LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR....		10,000.00			10,000.00
12—MINES.....		369,625.00	5,000.00		364,625.00
13—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:.....					
Main Office and Municipal Board.....	108,370.00				
Subsidy—1 Mill— To cities, towns, incorporated villages and townships.....	3,000,000.00	3,108,370.00			3,108,370.00
14—PRIME MINISTER.....		167,265.00			167,265.00
15—PROVINCIAL AUDITOR.....		118,200.00			181,200.00
16—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:.....					
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	120,000.00			120,000.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	1,950,000.00	2,070,000.00	682,000.00	1,268,000.00	1,388,000.00
17—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:.....					
Main Office.....	864,640.00			864,640.00	
Budget Committee Office....	9,520.00			9,520.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch..	464,510.00			464,510.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch..	45,525.00			45,525.00	
Post Office.....	147,115.00			147,115.00	
Savings Office.....	276,824.36	1,808,134.36	276,824.36		1,531,310.00
18—PUBLIC WELFARE:.....					
Main Office and Branches....	387,810.00			387,810.00	
Old Age Pensions Commission and Pensions for the Blind..	3,475,165.00			3,475,165.00	
Mothers' Allowances Commission.....	5,271,420.00	9,134,395.00		5,271,420.00	9,134,395.00
19—PUBLIC WORKS.....		690,000.00	13,800.00		676,200.00
MISCELLANEOUS.....		104,400.00	100,000.00		4,400.00
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest, etc.....		\$60,670,034.36	\$ 1,204,774.36		\$59,465,260.00
Foreign Exchange.....		31,072,173.81	8,917,189.75		22,154,984.06
		1,842,913.88	718,187.70		1,124,726.18
TOTAL.....		\$93,585,122.05	\$10,840,151.81		\$82,744,970.24
ADD: Estimated Net Expenditure on account of Unemployment Direct Relief and the Administration thereof.....		5,950,000.00			5,950,000.00
GRAND TOTAL.....		\$99,535,122.05	\$10,840,151.81		\$88,694,970.24

BUDGET FORECAST OF CAPITAL RECEIPTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1940—MARCH 31ST, 1941

DEPARTMENT	CAPITAL RECEIPTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Repayments	Trust Fund Deposits
AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 2,700.00	
HIGHWAYS.....	\$ 5,000.00		
LABOUR.....		55,000.00	
LANDS AND FORESTS.....			
MINES.....	40,000.00		
MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.....		30,000.00	
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....			\$1,350,000.00
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....		3,543,973.76	166,616.78
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....		7,768,676.91	
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Dominion Government—			
Old Age Pensions Commission.....		9,810,000.00	
Pensions for Blind.....		240,000.00	
	<u>\$45,000.00</u>	<u>\$21,450,350.67</u>	<u>\$1,516,616.78</u>

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$ 45,000.00
Loan Repayments.....	21,450,350.67
Trust Fund Deposits.....	1,516,616.78
	<u>\$23,011,967.45</u>

BUDGET FORECAST OF CAPITAL PAYMENTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1940—MARCH 31ST, 1941

DEPARTMENT	CAPITAL PAYMENTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Advances	Trust Fund Repayments
AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 25,000.00	
EDUCATION.....	\$ 65,638.43		
GAME AND FISHERIES.....	15,000.00		
HIGHWAYS.....	7,000,000.00		
LABOUR.....		55,000.00	
LANDS AND FORESTS.....	386,600.00		
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....			\$ 850,000.00
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....		1,401,544.44	234,901.78
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	2,250,000.00	60,000.00	
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Dominion Government:			
Old Age Pensions Commission.....		9,810,000.00	
Pensions for Blind.....		240,000.00	
PUBLIC WORKS.....	525,500.00		
	<u>\$10,242,738.43</u>	<u>\$11,591,544.44</u>	<u>\$1,084,901.78</u>

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$10,242,738.43
Loan Advances.....	11,591,544.44
Trust Fund Repayments.....	1,084,901.78
	<u>\$22,919,184.65</u>

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Department of Health, Ontario, 1939. (*Sessional Papers, No. 14.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Fletcher—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway Act, 1930.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What hospitals other than those operated by the Provincial Government have placed themselves under The Workmen's Compensation Act for the benefit of their employees.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who compose the Industry and Labour Board. 2. What are their salaries and allowances and the dates of their appointments.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What remuneration was received by each licensed dealer collecting gasoline tax for the Department of Highways in fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What issues of Treasury bills were made or renewed in present fiscal year to date. Give date, amount, rate of interest, purchaser and purchase price of each issue. 2. Were tenders called for said issues. 3. If so, give tenders received. 4. If not, why not.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What issues of debentures were made in the present fiscal year to date. Give date, amount, rate of interest, name of purchaser and purchase price of each issue. 2. Were tenders called for said issues. 3. If so, give tenders received. 4. If not, why not.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What amount of debentures or capital advance was repaid by Agricultural Development Board to the Treasury of Ontario in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938 and March, 31st, 1939.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What amount was collected from each race track by the Department of Provincial Treasurer under item "Race Tracks \$661,864.77" Public Accounts 1938-9, page 34.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—Who are the Magistrates for the County of York. Give date of appointment and salary in each case.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many cases were prosecuted under The Minimum Wage Act in (a) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939; (b) Present fiscal year to date. 2. How much was collected in fines in each of such periods in such prosecutions. 3. How many convictions were registered in such prosecutions in each of said periods.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many cases were prosecuted under The Industrial Standards Act in (a) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939; (b) Present fiscal year to date. 2. How much was collected in fines in each of such periods in such prosecutions. 3. How many convictions were registered in such prosecutions in each of such periods.

Mr. Stewart—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What portion of the item of \$24,141,817.00, the total sales from Breweries and Brewery Warehouses as stated in the report of the Liquor Control Board for the year ending March 31st, 1939, represents sales to authority holders.

Mr. Frost—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the amount received by the Province from the tax on net revenue of incorporated companies under The Corporations Tax Act, (a) For year ending March 31st, 1936; (b) For year ending March 31st, 1937; (c) For year ending March 31st, 1938; (d) For year ending March 31st, 1939.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many physicians, senior assistant physicians, graduate medical internes, other medical internes and dentists were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940. 2. What were their names and salaries and where no salary was being paid, what emoluments did each receive by way of board, lodging or other perquisites. 3. What consultants were attached to the staff of the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940, and at what honoraria or other emolument. 4. How many persons were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940, specifying whether full or part time and including consultants. 5. What was the average number of patients in residence at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, during the year ending January 31st, 1940.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands have been purchased by the Ontario Government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, from whom, when and at what price for each parcel. 2. By whom were valuations fixed on behalf of the government. 3. What buildings have been constructed at the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 4. In connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, what buildings have been constructed. 5. What contracts were let in connection with the construction of the Ontario Hospital at Brampton for clearing, excavation, construction of buildings, furnishing and all other items. 6. When will the Ontario Hospital at Brampton be ready for the reception of patients. 7. What staff is employed at the Ontario Hospital, Brampton, giving names, salaries and date of appointment in each case.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many patients were being boarded out from each of the Ontario Hospitals on December 31st, 1939. 2. What was the amount paid by the Government with respect to the boarding out of patients from each of the Ontario Hospitals for the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, and March 31st, 1939. 3. How often are inspections made by the Government with respect to each boarding out home and by whom.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Mental Health Clinics are in operation in conjunction with Ontario Hospitals at date. 2. In connection with which Ontario Hospitals are Mental Health Clinics operating. 3. What was the total cost of operating each Mental Health Clinic during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, including salaries of officials, travelling expenses, and all other incidental expenses.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is any charge made by the Province of Ontario against the Dominion Government for the use of the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas as an Air Training centre. 2. If so, what is the nature and amount of the charge. 3. Has the government of the Dominion agreed with the Province of Ontario as to keeping buildings in present state of repair. 4. Is there any formal agreement between the Province of Ontario and the Dominion of Canada as to the use of the Ontario Hospital, St. Thomas, by the Federal authorities.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the present position of Dr. Wilfred D. Smith with the Ontario Government. 2. When was he appointed his present position. 3. What is his salary.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign, or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service. 5. Has a successor been appointed and what is his name and salary and when was he appointed and on whose recommendation. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by F. A. O'Connor.

Mr. Frost—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many inmates were there at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico on December 31st, 1939. 2. On December 31st, 1939, what stock was on hand at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico with respect to: (a) Common brick; (b) Rug or Tapestry brick; (c) Floor tile; (d) Wall tile; (e) Spanish roofing tile; (f) Hollow building tile; (g) Agricultural tile. 3. What is the average daily production at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico, of: (a) Common brick; (b) Rug or Tapestry brick.

Mr. Frost—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Minister—1. What amount has been collected in license fees or otherwise by the Ontario Securities Commission in each of the years 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939. 2. What was the name, salary and position of each of those employed by the Ontario Securities Commission during each of the years 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939. 3. What was the total expenditure for the Ontario Securities Commission for the year ending March 31st, 1940.

Mr. Frost—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Toronto

Gaol Farm for men located near Langstaff been taken over by the Province. 2. If so, for what purpose has the property been taken over by the Province. 3. What are the terms on which the property has been taken over. 4. For what purpose does the Province propose using the property. 5. What officials and what Ministers recommended taking over the Men's Gaol Farm from the City of Toronto. 5. What was the average inmate population of the Men's Gaol Farm during the calendar year 1939. 7. What disposition is now made of prisoners who ordinarily would have been sent from the Toronto gaol to the Men's Gaol Farm.

Mr. Frost—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many inmates were there on December 31st, 1939, at: (a) the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph; (b) the Industrial Farm, Burwash; (c) the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico. 2. On December 31st, 1939, how many sentenced persons were employed in road camps or otherwise outside gaols, reformatories and industrial farms. 3. Where have road or construction camps for the incarceration of sentenced persons been established within the Province. 4. What was the cost of establishing each of the road or construction camps for the incarceration of sentenced persons. 5. Who is the Superintendent of each of the road or construction camps established for the incarceration of sentenced persons. 6. What is the number of staff employed in each of the road or construction camps established for the incarceration of sentenced persons.

Mr. Frost—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is H. W. Cooper employed by the Ontario Government and if so, in what position and at what salary. 2. What position has he held with the Ontario government, for what periods and at what salaries. 3. Was he dismissed or transferred from his position as Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds at the Normal School, Toronto, and if so, why. 4. On whose recommendation was he employed.

Mr. Frost—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Superintendent of the Ontario Reformatory abattoir at Guelph. 2. When was he appointed and at what salary. 3. What Ontario Hospitals purchase their meat supplies other than from the abattoir at the Guelph Reformatory and why.

Mr. Arnott—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases of coal were made by the government during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939, indicating (a) the institutions or buildings for which coal was purchased, (b) the kinds and quantities of coal supplied by each dealer, to each institution; (c) the per ton price with respect to each purchase; (d) the total amount paid to each dealer with respect to coal supplied to each institution or building. 2. Was the coal purchased on a tender basis. 3. Were tenders advertised for, and if so, when and in what newspapers. 4. Was each dealer who so desired allowed to tender. 5. What was the total quantity of Nova Scotia coal purchased by the government in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939.

Mr. Arnott—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—Since July 11th, 1934, what amounts have been paid by the Government to W. L. Somerville of Hamilton, and with respect to what services, giving particulars in each case.

Mr. Arnott—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For what period was Earl Hutchinson a member of the Workmen's Compensation Board and at what salary. 2. Did he resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign, or was he dismissed. 3. If he was requested to resign, or if he was dismissed, why. 4. If

he has applied for, or been appointed to, any other position in the public service of Ontario, give particulars.

Mr. Baker—On Monday next—Resolution—That Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the Township of North York, be amended by adding thereto as Section 2 the following Section:—

Interpre-
tation,—

“Rural
land;”

2.—(1) In this section,—

(a) “Rural land” shall mean any area of land in the said township consisting of not less than 20 acres in the occupation of the owner or tenant and used principally for agricultural or reforestation purposes, or an area of land in the said township consisting of not less than 5 acres in the occupation of the owner or tenant and used principally for market gardening or nursery purposes, or for raising poultry, live stock or fur bearing animals;

“Urban
land.”

(b) “Urban land” shall mean any land in the said township other than rural land.

Special
duties of
assessor.

(2) The assessor in preparing the assessment roll shall designate the lands as rural lands or urban lands, as the case may be, and in making the school census shall segregate the number of pupils entitled to attend school from rural lands from the number of pupils entitled to attend school from urban lands.

By-law
apportioning
school costs.

(3) Subject to the approval of the Minister of Education, the council of the said township may by by-law provide that in the township school area or in any school section the moneys to be raised for school purposes shall be apportioned between the rural lands and the urban lands in such area or section in the manner hereinafter provided.

Apportion-
ing of
school rate.

(4) Upon the passing of any such by-law applicable in the township school area, the school rate for such area and for any school section to which any such by-law applies shall be ascertained by apportioning the amount to be levied by special rate upon such area or section between the rural lands and the urban lands in such area or section in the proportion that the number of pupils from such rural lands bears to the number of pupils from such urban lands and the amount so apportioned shall be levied against the respective lands according to the assessments thereof.

Enlarging
Township
school area.
Rev. Stat.,
c. 357.

(5) If any such by-law applies to the township school area, any school section to which such by-law or any other by-law passed under this section applies, may be brought forthwith into such area in the manner provided in *The Public Schools Act*.

Right of
appeal.
Rev. Stat.,
c. 272.

(6) For the purpose of subsection 3 of section 73 of *The Assessment Act* any school board shall be deemed to be a person assessed within the meaning of such section.

Conflict.
Rev. Stat.,
cc. 272, 357.

(7) In the case of conflict between the provisions of *The Assessment Act* or *The Public Schools Act* and this section, the provisions of this section shall govern.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Solicitors' Act.

Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Law Society Act.

Bill (No. 46), An Act to amend The Securities Act.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 28), An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the Township of North York.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 56), An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 54), An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 52), The Credit Unions Act, 1940.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 55), An Act to amend The Unwrought Metal Sales Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 58), intituled, "An Act to amend The Faatal Accidents Act."
Mr. Elgie.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 59), intituled, "An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act." *Mr. Elgie.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting the Town of Chelmsford.

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Town of Bonfield.

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting the Village of Killaloe Station.

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Charlton.

Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting the City of London.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without Amendments.

Ordered, That the Bills reported be severally read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 38), The School Law Amendment Act, 1940, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House then adjourned at 4.40 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Elgie—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Negligence Act; also, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

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TORONTO, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 3):—

1. What is the total deficit on all rural power districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission after full provisions have been made for renewals, resources, contingencies, etc., for each year from October 31st, 1934, to end of October 31st, 1939.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. For year ending—

Oct. 31st, 1935	Surplus.....	\$ 27,310.66
Oct. 31st, 1936	"	109,743.49
Oct. 31st, 1937	"	97,364.58
Oct. 31st, 1938	"	63,200.81
Oct. 31st, 1939	"	51,887.11

Provision for contingency and all other reserves made for year 1935. Subsequent to 1935, no provision has been made for contingency reserve, except the provision included in the cost of power supplied to these rural power districts, but all other reserves have been provided for.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 4):—

1. (a) How many rural power districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission have deficits after full provisions have been made for the regular renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., during 1939, and what

was the total deficits, (b) What changes have been made, if any, in the provision for renewals, reserves, contingencies, etc., on rural power districts under the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since October 31st, 1938.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. (a) 117 Districts made deficits	\$195,435.31
67 Districts made surpluses	247,322.42
Net surplus for year	\$ 51,887.11

(b) No changes have been made in the reserve provisions for the year.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 16):—

1. What was the total cost of property purchased for the Queen Elizabeth highway between the Humber River and Brown's Line. 2. What was the total cost of the grading, construction of the bridges and viaducts. 3. Who are the contractors and what was the cost of each contract.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:

1. \$378,350.00; 2. \$458,737.33.

3. Patterson Paving Company	\$ 46,457.70
Dominion Construction Co.	178,161.50
Scott-Jackson Construction Co.	157,232.07
Scott-Jackson Construction Co.	322.21
Scott-Jackson Construction Co.	19,849.18
Scott, Jackson Construction Co.	37,111.76
Honsberger Construction Co.	19,602.91
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	\$458,737.33

Mr. Roebuck asked the following Question (No. 18):—

How many applications are pending, i.e., have been received and not granted or not rejected by notice to the applicant: (a) for Old Age Pensions and (b) for Mothers' Allowance.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Welfare replied as follows:—

Old Age Pension applications are being received at the rate of 800 a month. At January 31st, 368 were awaiting investigation, including those who make application three months before reaching the age of 70 in order that there may be no delay in receiving payment when they reach that age. It may be noted that in January, 228 such cases had been dealt with, eligible for payment in February.

Mothers' Allowances applications are received at the rate of 250 a month and this number were ready for investigation on January 31st.

Mr. Frost asked the following Question (No. 43):—

1. Is H. W. Cooper employed by the Ontario Government and if so, in what position and at what salary. 2. What position has he held with the Ontario government, for what periods and at what salaries. 3. Was he dismissed or transferred from his position as Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds at the Normal School, Toronto, and if so, why. 4. On whose recommendation was he employed.

The Honourable Minister of Education replied as follows:—

1. Yes, Assistant Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, Parliament Buildings, at a salary of \$2,000. 2. October 1st, 1934, to August 6th, 1935, Utility Man, Andrew Mercer Reformatory, \$5.00 a day; August 7th to October 28th, 1935, Temporary Engineer, Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, 70c. an hour, October 29th, 1935, to October 21st, 1936, Stationary Engineer, Andrew Mercer Reformatory, \$1,600 a year, October 22nd, 1936, to December 31st, 1939, Superintendent, Normal School Buildings and Grounds, Toronto, \$2,400 a year less \$600 perquisites; January 1st, 1940, Assistant Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, Parliament Buildings, \$2,000 a year. 3. Transferred. 4. At the Mercer and Ontario Reformatory by the Provincial Secretary, at the Normal School by the Minister of Education, at the Parliament Buildings by the Minister of Public Works.

In connection with Question (No. 1), the Honourable the Prime Minister required that this question be made an order for a Return,

And on Motion of Mr. Kidd, seconded by Mr. Arnott, it was

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return, showing:—

1. What lands have been purchased by the Government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, since March 15th, 1939. 2. How many acres of land were purchased since March 15th, 1939, (a) From whom was the land purchased, (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. The total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. The total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case, since March 15th, 1939. 6. The total amount expended without tenders since March 15th, 1939. 7. The amount of extras granted on each specific tender, since March 15th, 1939.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 9), An Act respecting the Town of Chelmsford.

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the Town of Bonfield.

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting the Village of Killaloe Station.

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Charlton.

Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting the City of London.

Bill (No. 38), The School Law Amendment Act, 1940.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was on the motion of Mr. Nixon (Temiskaming),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Secretary and Registrar of the Province of Ontario with respect to the administration of The Companies Act, The Extra Provincial Corporations Act, The Mortmain and Charitable Uses Act and The Companies Information Act for year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 33.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Labour of the Province of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 10.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Lands and Forests, Ontario, for year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 3.*)

Also, Return to an Order of the House, dated February 19th, 1940, That there be laid before this House a Return showing—1. What lands have been purchased by the Government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, since March 15th, 1939. 2. How many acres of land were purchased since March 15th, 1939, (a) From whom was the land purchased, (b) What was the purchase price of each parcel of land. 3. The total amount expended on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas to date. 4. The total amount of tenders awarded. 5. To whom were tenders granted, and what was the amount in each case, since March 15th, 1939. 6. The total amount expended without tenders since March 15th, 1939. 7. The amount of extras have been granted on each specific tender, since March 15th, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 49.*)

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Doucet—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What company was awarded a contract for the bridge over Fifteen Mile Creek on Queen Elizabeth Way near St. Catharines. 2. Was construction of bridge completed by the Contractor. 3. If not by whom was construction of the bridge completed. 4. What was the contract price for construction of the bridge. 5. What amount was paid the Contractor and what amount if any is still due him. 6. If the Contractor was released from his contract on whose recommendation was such action taken and why. 7. What was the cost of completing the work after the contractor ceased operations.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Wednesday next—Resolution—That on next this House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the following Resolution:—

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature, Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Municipal Law will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Tuesday), February 20th, at 10.00 a.m., for organization and business.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Leduc, from the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests, presented an interim report, which was read as follows:—

The Select Committee of the Legislature appointed to inquire into the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests begs leave to submit the following interim report:

The Committee has held 16 sittings and heard considerable evidence. It now desires to submit to the Legislature the following resolutions which have been adopted by the Committee:

“That the Chairman be instructed by this Committee to report to the House that in the opinion of this Committee, the Minister of Lands and Forests should at an early date take the necessary steps for the purpose of holding a conference or conferences between representatives of the different groups interested in the effective utilization of our forest resources, including:

1. Industry which uses our forest resources as raw material.
2. Labour engaged in the cutting, manufacture, distribution and sale of our forest resources.
3. The independent operators who cut and sell forest resources.
4. Transportation Companies.
5. Power Producers.

"And this Committee further recommends that in view of the opportunity now open to Ontario to secure the market in the United States for peeled pulpwood, the Acts conveying deeds of timber lands to railways and other corporations be so amended at this Session as to permit the export of such pulpwood or that the Legislature by special Act empower the Minister of Lands and Forests to authorize such export on an annual permit basis under departmental regulation."

This interim report is hereby respectfully submitted for the consideration of this House.

Committee Room, February 20th, 1940.

On the motion by Mr. Leduc for the adoption of the Report, Mr. Drew moved in amendment that the Minister of Mines be substituted for the Minister of Lands and Forests in the first paragraph of the first recommendation in the Report.

The amendment having been put was declared to be lost.

The motion for the adoption of the Report was then put and declared to be Carried.

Mr. Carr, from the Standing Committee on Municipal Law, presented their Report, which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee have carefully considered the provisions of Bills Nos. 31, 51 and 57 to amend The Municipal Act, and such of their provisions as have been approved of have been embodied in a Bill entitled "The Municipal Amendment Act, 1940."

Your Committee have carefully considered the provisions of Bills Nos. 34 and 56 to amend The Assessment Act, and such of their provisions as have been approved of have been embodied in a Bill entitled "The Assessment Amendment Act, 1940."

Your Committee have also carefully considered Bill No. 49, An Act to amend The Municipal Act, and recommend that the same be not further proceeded with.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 60), intituled, "An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act." *Mr. Elgie.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 61), intituled, "An Act to amend The Negligence Act." *Mr. Elgie.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 62), intituled, "The Municipal Amendment Act, 1940." *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 63), intituled, "The Assessment Amendment Act, 1940." *Mr. Cross.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 64), intituled, "The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1940." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Conant, seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting taxation of Corporations.

Mr. Nixon (Brant) acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved that

(a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1939 and every fiscal year thereafter pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby:

(b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1939 and all fiscal years thereafter, and

(c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1939 and all fiscal years thereafter.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved that

(a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1939 and every fiscal year thereafter pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby,

(b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1939 and all fiscal years thereafter; and

(c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1939 and all fiscal years thereafter.

The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill (No. 45).

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 45), An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was on the motion of Mr. Oliver,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK.
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Duckworth—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased for the construction of a mental hospital at or near the City of Port Arthur, from whom were they purchased and what was the purchase price of each parcel. 2. What contracts were let and for what amount, and to whom, with respect to the construction of the hospital. 3. What buildings have been constructed. 4. Is any construction work going on at the present time with respect to the Port Arthur Mental Hospital. 5. Is any staff employed at the present time at the Port Arthur Mental Hospital and if so what are their names and salaries and what are their duties.

Mr. Murphy—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many miles of the new highway on Kingston Road east of Toronto have been illuminated. 2. What was the cost per mile.

Mr. Duckworth—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of the decorative features of the approaches to Henley Course Bridge near St. Catharines including stone galleons, lions, wing walls and other decorative features. 2. Who designed these decorative features and what was he paid for his services.

Mr. Doucett—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many patients were in residence in the Ontario Hospitals on January 31st, 1940. 2. How many patients were boarded out from the Ontario Hospitals as of date January 31st, 1940. 3. How many patients were on probation from the Ontario Hospitals as of date January 31st, 1940.

Mr. Duckworth—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of restoration and renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston including road construction involved in the project. 2. Has the Dominion government reimbursed the government of the Province of Ontario with respect to a portion of the cost and if so, to what extent. 3. What amount was paid to W. L. Somerville of Hamilton for his services in connection with the restoration of Old Fort Henry. 4. What was the nature of the services which W. L. Somerville rendered.

Mr. Doucett—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who, under the direction of the Superintendent and the Deputy Provincial Secretary, is directly responsible for the purchase of cattle, hogs and other live stock for slaughter at the abattoir operated in connection with the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph. 2. What is his salary, when was he appointed and what former experience has he had in this line of work. 3. What amounts have been paid and to whom since July 11th, 1934, for cartage of abattoir products from the abattoir at the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, to the Ontario Hospitals. 4. Who now attends to the cartage of abattoir products from the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph to the Ontario Hospitals and what is the general arrangement therewith. 5. If transportation of abattoir products from the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph to the Ontario Hospitals is handled by a truck owned by the Ontario government: (a) When was truck purchased, (b) From whom was truck purchased, (c) What was cost of said truck, (d) Was truck purchased by tender and was the lowest tender accepted, (e) What to date is the cost of maintenance of truck

including wages of driver, gasoline, repairs and all other items. 6. For the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939: (a) What was the cost of live stock purchased for slaughter at the abattoir at the Guelph Reformatory, (b) What was the cost of carcasses and other meat products purchased by the Guelph Reformatory for resale at other institutions or for use at the Reformatory.

Mr. Doucett—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since the 11th day of July, 1934, what new buildings by way of patients' accommodation and nurses' homes have been completed at the Ontario Hospitals at Brockville, Hamilton, London, New Toronto, Orillia and Woodstock, giving the patient or staff accommodation made available in the case of each building and the total cost of each building. 3. Have any buildings been demolished at the Ontario Hospital at London and if so what accommodation for patients or staff was lost by reason of such demolition.

Mr. Doucet—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many patients were in residence at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia on January 31st, 1940. 2. How many patients were boarded out from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia as of date January 31st, 1940. 3. How many patients were on probation from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia as of date January 31st, 1940. 4. How many pairs of shoes were manufactured in the factory at the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939. 5. How many pairs of shoes were sold to public institutions from the factory at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939. 6. What new accommodation for patients has been provided at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia since July 11th, 1934. 7. How many applications for admission of patients to the Ontario Hospital at Orillia were on file as of date January 31st, 1940.

Mr. Conant—On Thursday next—Resolution:—

Resolved,

That a Select Committee of this House be appointed to enquire into and report upon the present system of administration of justice in the Province of Ontario, both civil and criminal, and to make such recommendations as the said Committee may think will result in improvement, simplification or economy in the said administration of justice, the said Select Committee to have authority to sit during the recess of the House and to call for such persons, papers and things as it may think necessary to assist the Committee in its deliberations and to examine witnesses under oath.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Wednesday), February 21st, at 10.30 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Fish and Game will meet in the Security Frauds Court Room (on the Fifth Floor) to-morrow (Wednesday), February 21st, at 10.30 a.m., for organization and business.

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TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21st, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Nixon (Temiskaming) from the Standing Committee on Agriculture presented their Report, which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee met on five occasions. At its first meeting on January 11th, informal in character, a programme was drafted for its activities during the Session. At its first regular meeting on January 16th, Mr. Nixon (Temiskaming) was elected chairman on motion of Mr. Macfie and Mr. Campbell (Kent East).

Mr. Dewan, Minister of Agriculture, gave a report on the steps taken by the Department relative to war-time production, and reviewed details of the Canadian Bacon Board's agreement. W. R. Reek, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, supplemented this report with a statement of the Department's work in planning increased crop production on Ontario's present cultivated acreage.

At its third meeting on January 25th, the committee was advised in detail of the Bacon Board agreement and programme by L. W. Pearsall, secretary-manager of the board. Supplementary information, in general discussion of the agreement and its effects, was given by Kenneth Morrison, manager of the First Co-operative Packers, Barrie. Mr. Dewan drew to the Committee's attention that several small packers had complained that their business was threatened by imports of United States pork products. Mr. Morrison claimed that, with all its faults, the bacon agreement plan was better than that of the last war when exports were handled solely by the packers. He urged producer representation on the board.

The fourth meeting, held on February 8th, was devoted to a study of specific farm problems. Norman Schultz, Brantford poultryman, urged the Committee to recommend an amendment to The Livestock Protection Act that would allow compensation for poultry killed by dogs.

Harry Wilson, Charing Cross, Kent County, a member of the advisory committee to the Bacon Board, claimed the war-time hog production programme was threatened by cholera, hemorrhagic septicemia and other diseases, and asked for specific government technical and advisory assistance.

Joseph Darlington, York County dairyman, discussed losses from disease in cattle and asked assistance in combatting contagious abortion, specifically.

I. B. Whale, livestock editor, *The Farmers' Advocate*, and manager of the Advocate Farm, London, spoke on farm management. Unless farm income reached a parity with urban income, he said, farmers would soon require legislative assistance.

The Committee's final meeting was held on February 21st. Mr. Reek advised that, following a meeting of your Committee's sub-committee, the Department had assigned four veterinaries and a practical man to the Western counties to work on the swine disease problem. The same sub-committee submitted a draft amendment advocating extension of compensation to poultrymen. On the suggestion of Mr. Macfie, it was decided to leave the recommendation for the study of the Department over the recess.

Moved by Mr. Acres, seconded by Mr. Campbell (Kent East),

That the Committee on Agriculture respectfully expresses itself as follows:—

1. We speak in a large measure for the agricultural interest of the Province of Ontario.

2. We desire to co-operate in every way possible with the several boards charged with the responsibility for directing agricultural effort effectively for the prosecution of the war.

3. We have carefully considered the bacon agreement and commend the Bacon Board for its effort to secure an amended agreement and price from that first proposed, for its effort to stabilize the price secured over the period for which the present agreement operates, and for its desire and effort to place all the facts connected with the production of bacon before the hog producers of Canada.

4. We further desire to emphasize on behalf of the hog producers of Ontario the necessity of keeping before the Board the relationship of production costs on the farms of the efficient hog growers of the Province and having such information to constantly emphasize to the Food Purchasing Board of Britain the necessity of so adjusting the price of bacon products of Canada to hog production costs that the Bacon Board shall thus be assured of the possibility of an unvarying supply of bacon products for the duration of the war and for such time after its conclusion as will allow for an adjustment to the conditions that will be existent at that time.

5. We desire further to request that the Minister of Agriculture for Ontario (the Province producing the largest quantity of bacon of any Province) be kept constantly apprised of the activities of the Bacon Board inasmuch as these local departments are charged with the Educational programme necessary to this production.

6. We desire also to emphasize the fact that in all other products called for by the Motherland and her Allies the Agriculture of the Country shall not be called on to produce at prices so out of proportion to the cost of production as to discourage that production but if these costs increase from time to time (as they seem invariably to do) the prices of Agricultural products shall be stepped up in accordance with such increased costs.

The Committee, on the motion of Mr. Macfie and Mr. McEwen, appointed a sub-committee of four, to act in conjunction with the Minister, and to draw up a resolution if such action is felt necessary, to press upon Ottawa the need of halting duty draw-back provisions on pork imported from the United States.

On the advice of the Minister, a sub-committee, with advisory powers, was drafted to act with the Department on war-time production policies and the allied problem of investigating and surveying the farm labour situation.

On motion of Mr. Conant, seconded by Mr. Leduc,

Ordered, That a Select Committee of this House be appointed to enquire into: The administration of justice in the Province, including the constitution, maintenance and organization of Provincial Courts, both of civil and of criminal jurisdiction, and including procedure in civil matters in those Courts, with a view to—

- (i) improving the constitution, organization and the system of maintenance of the said courts,
- (ii) simplifying, facilitating, expediting and otherwise improving practice and procedure in the said courts, and
- (iii) effecting economy to the people, the municipalities and to the Province generally,

and to report upon what amendments are necessary or desirable to the existing law.

The said Select Committee to consist of Messrs. Conant (Chairman), Leduc, Strachan, Arnott and Frost, and to have authority to sit during the recess of the House.

And that the said Select Committee shall have full power and authority to call for persons, papers, and things, and to examine witnesses under oath, and the Assembly doth hereby command and compel the attendance before the said Select Committee of such persons and the production of such papers and things as the said Committee may deem necessary for any of its proceedings or deliberations, for which purpose the Honourable the Speaker may issue his warrant or warrants.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 29):—

1. How many cases were prosecuted under The Industrial Standards Act in (a) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, (b) Present fiscal year to date. 2. How much was collected in fines in each of such periods in such prosecutions. 3. How many convictions were registered in such prosecutions in each of such periods.

The Honourable the Minister of Labour replied as follows:—

1. (a) 198, (b) 93 (7 in court at present). 2. (a) \$1,440.00, (b) \$560.00. 3. (a) 157, (b) 63.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 30)—

What portion of the item of \$24,141,817.00, the total sales from Breweries and Brewery Warehouses as stated in the report of the Liquor Control Board for the year ending March 31st, 1939, represents sales to authority holders.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

The figure of "24,141,817" represents gallons—not dollar value. Of this figure 16,411,218 gallons were sales to authority holders.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 32):—

1. How many physicians, senior assistant physicians, graduate medical internes, other medical internes and dentists were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940. 2. What were their names and salaries and where no salary was being paid, what emoluments did each receive by way of board, lodging or other perquisites. 3. What consultants were attached to the staff of the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940, and at what honoraria or other emolument. 4. How many persons were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940, specifying whether full or part time and including consultants. 5. What was the average number of patients in residence at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, during the year ending January 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. 7. 2. Dr. C. B. Farrar, \$5,000 per annum, Dr. E. P. Lewis, \$4,400 per annum, Dr. J. E. Sharpe, \$3,600 per annum, Dr. M. V. Jackson, \$3,000 per annum, Dr. J. G. Dewan, \$3,000 per annum, Dr. Macia Campbell, \$120 per annum plus board, Dr. J. A. Weddell, \$120 per annum plus board. 3. Dr. Trevor Owen, Internist, \$1,000 per annum, Dr. George Boyer, Neurologist and Instructor, \$520 per annum, Dr. H. W. Johnston, Gynaecologist, \$520 per annum, Dr. W. H. Lowrey, Ophthalmologist, \$520 per annum, Dr. K. G. McKenzie, Neuro-Surgeon, \$520 per annum, Dr. Cecil Rae, Nose and Throat, \$520 per annum, Dr. E. A. Linell, Neuropathologist, \$600 per annum. 4. 68

full-time employees, 7 part-time employees. 5. During the year ending January 31st, 1940, 1,759 patients were treated in the out-patient department and 639 patients in residence, or an average of 60 patients in residence per day.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 34):—

1. How many patients were being boarded out from each of the Ontario Hospitals on December 31st, 1939. 2. What was the amount paid by the Government with respect to the boarding out of patients from each of the Ontario Hospitals for the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, and March 31st, 1939. 3. How often are inspections made by the Government with respect to each boarding out home and by whom.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. Ontario Hospital, Brockville.....	46
Ontario Hospital, Cobourg.....	3
Ontario Hospital, Fort William.....	—
Ontario Hospital, Hamilton.....	39
Ontario Hospital, Kingston.....	74
Ontario Hospital, London.....	90
Ontario Hospital, New Toronto.....	79
Ontario Hospital, Penetang.....	27
Ontario Hospital, Toronto.....	46
Ontario Hospital, Whitby.....	94
Ontario Hospital, Woodstock.....	"

2. Ontario Hospital—	March 31st, 1937	March 31st, 1938	March 31st, 1939
Brockville.....	\$ 5,475.76	\$ 8,075.97	\$10,638.40
Cobourg.....	1,033.83	908.46	936.75
Fort William.....	Nil	Nil	Nil
Hamilton.....	7,583.66	8,320.25	10,159.84
Kingston.....	11,998.79	12,806.34	12,359.33
London.....	18,324.42	22,737.58	23,041.74
New Toronto.....	19,066.37	17,731.24	17,533.85
Penetang.....	1,391.36	5,342.10	5,866.50
Toronto.....	9,122.08	11,658.95	11,834.55
Whitby.....	19,937.25	21,706.84	24,297.18
Woodstock.....	Nil	Nil	Nil

3. Ontario Hospital, Brockville—The first inspection is made by the Superintendent. After patients are placed in the home, the Senior Assistant Physician visits at least once every three months, the Director of the Mental Health Clinic visits at least once each month and the Social Worker visits at least twice every month.

Ontario Hospital, Cobourg—Inspections are made by Social Worker at least once a month, periodically accompanied by a member of the medical staff.

Ontario Hospital, Hamilton—Inspections are made by the Social Worker once a week for the first month and once a fortnight thereafter, by the Clinic Physician once a month and by the Superintendent or his Assistant once a quarter.

Ontario Hospital, Kingston—Inspections are made by the Social Worker once a week for the first month and at least once a month thereafter, the Senior Assistant Physician every three months and by other members of the medical staff whenever required.

Ontario Hospital, London—Inspections are made once a week for the first month by the Social Worker and at least monthly thereafter, and at least quarterly by the Senior Physician.

Ontario Hospital, New Toronto—Inspections are made every ten days by the Social Worker, and quarterly by the Assistant Superintendent, and half-yearly by the Superintendent accompanied by the Assistant Superintendent and Social Worker.

Ontario Hospital, Penetang—Inspections are made by a nurse every two weeks and by the Assistant Superintendent every two months.

Ontario Hospital, Toronto—Inspections are made by Social Worker once a week, by the Senior Assistant Physician every three months and by the Superintendent twice a year.

Ontario Hospital, Whitby—Inspections are made weekly by the Social Worker, every two months by the Clinic Physician and twice a year by the Superintendent or his Assistant.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 35):—

1. How many Mental Health Clinics are in operation in conjunction with Ontario Hospitals at date. 2. In connection with which Ontario Hospitals are Mental Health Clinics operating. 3. What was the total cost of operating each Mental Health Clinic during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, including salaries of officials, travelling expenses, and all other incidental expenses.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. 5. 2. Ontario Hospitals at Brockville, Kingston, Hamilton, London and Whitby. 3. Ontario Hospital, Brockville, \$15,192.48; Ontario Hospital, Kingston, \$7,770.13; Ontario Hospital, Hamilton, \$7,630.27; Ontario Hospital, London, \$8,577.52; Ontario Hospital, Whitby, \$7,149.77.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 36):

1. Is any charge made by the Province of Ontario against the Dominion

Government for the use of the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas as an Air Training centre. 2. If so, what is the nature and amount of the charge. 3. Has the government of the Dominion agreed with the Province of Ontario as to keeping buildings in present state of repair. 4. Is there any formal agreement between the Province of Ontario and the Dominion of Canada as to the use of the Ontario Hospital, St. Thomas, by the Federal authorities.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. No. The Dominion Government reimburses the Province for the estimated cost pertaining to the transportation of patients, staff, stores, produce, furnishings and equipment and other expenses, including the cost of alterations and installations made by the Province in other premises used by the patients and staff removed from the Hospital, and the transportation to and installation costs when occupation of the Hospital is resumed by the Province. In addition the Dominion also reimburses the Province for costs of a recurring nature. 2. Answered by No. 1. 3. Yes. 4. Yes (dated October 23rd, 1939).

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 37):—

1. What is the present position of Dr. Wilfred D. Smith with the Ontario Government. 2. When was he appointed his present position. 3. What is his salary.

The Honourable the Minister of Labour replied as follows:—

1. Member, Workmen's Compensation Board. 2. January 1st, 1940. 3. \$6,000 per annum.

Mr. Frost asked the following Question (No. 39):—

1. How many inmates were there at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico on December 31st, 1939. 2. On December 31st, 1939, what stock was on hand at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico with respect to: (a) Common brick; (b) Rug or Tapestry brick; (c) Floor tile; (d) Wall tile; (e) Spanish roofing tile; (f) Hollow building tile; (g) Agricultural tile. 3. What is the average daily production at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico, of: (a) Common brick; (b) Rug or Tapestry brick.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. 169. 2. (a) Common brick, \$5,797.79; (b) Tapestry brick, \$2,531.25; (c-d) Floor and Wall tile, \$10,019.52; (e) Spanish roofing tile, \$910.58; (f) Hollow tile, \$25,061.89; (g) Agricultural tile, \$2,879.56. NOTE.—Inventory if required. 3. (a) Common brick, none; (b) Tapestry brick, none.

Mr. Frost asked the following Question (No. 44):—

1. Who is the Superintendent of the Ontario Reformatory abattoir at Guelph. 2. When was he appointed and at what salary. 3. What Ontario Hospitals purchase their meat supplies other than from the abattoir at the Guelph Reformatory and why.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. Gordon W. Morrison. 2. April 14th, 1937, \$2,100.00. 3. Ontario Hospital, Fort William. This hospital raises its own beef, lamb and pork and purchases only cured meats from other than the Guelph abattoir, because of the cost of the shipping the distance from Guelph.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 21):—

1. What hospitals other than those operated by the Provincial Government have placed themselves under The Workmen's Compensation Act for the benefit of their employees.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Welfare replied as follows:

Parry Sound General Hospital, James St. S., Parry Sound, Salvation Army Grace Hospital, 1156 Wellington St., Ottawa, Salvation Army Grace Hospital, Windsor, Salvation Army Grace Hospital, 133 Bloor St. E., Toronto, Salvation Army Home & Hospital, 27 Mountain Ave., Hamilton, Galt General Hospital, St. Andrew St., Galt, North Bay Hospital Commission, North Bay, Charlotte-Eleanor Englehart Hospital, Petrolia, The Home for Incurable Children, 278 Bloor St. E., Toronto, Belleville General Hospital, Belleville, Willett Hospital, Paris, St. Catharines General Hospital, St. Catharines, Brant Sanatorium, Brantford, Niagara Peninsula Sanatorium Association, Box 158, St. Catharines, Public General Hospital, Chatham, Brockville General Hospital, Brockville, General Hospital, 36 Oxford St., Strathroy, The General Hospital of Port Arthur, Port Arthur, The Lady Minto Hospital, Cochrane, The Salvation Army Bethesda Hospital, 54 Riverview Ave., London, Porcupine General Hospital, South Porcupine, Niagara Falls, General Hospital, Jepson St., Niagara Falls, Groves Memorial Hospital, Fergus, Alexandra Marine and General Hospital, Goderich.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 48):—

1. How many cases were prosecuted under The Minimum Wage Act in (a) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, (b) Present fiscal year to date. 2. How much was collected in fines in each of such periods in such prosecutions. 3. How many convictions were registered in such prosecutions in each of said periods.

The Honourable the Minister of Labour replied as follows:—

1. (a) 22, (b) 19. 2. (a) \$195.00, (b) \$285.00. 3. (a) 9, (b) 11.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 65), intituled, "An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act."
Mr. Heenan.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 66), intituled, "An Act to permit the Exportation of Peeled Spruce Pulpwood. *Mr. Heenan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 67), An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Township of Melancthon.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting William C. Wride and Josie Wride.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 27), An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 37); An Act respecting the County of Lennox and Addington.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 62), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1940.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 63), The Assessment Amendment Act, 1940.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 64), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1940.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the second reading of Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Jurors Act, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged and the Bill be referred to the Select Committee of the House appointed to inquire into The Administration of Justice.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Judicature Act, having been read.

Ordered, That the Order be discharged and the Bill be referred to the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Administration of Justice.

The Order of the Day for the Motion:—

That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario in Parliament assembled is of opinion that the grand jury system should be abolished in Ontario, and the said Legislative Assembly hereby requests that the Parliament of Canada pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about the abolition of the grand jury system in the Province of Ontario, and providing for the presentment of a formal charge in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code, Section 873 (5),

AND this Legislative Assembly also requests that legislation be passed by the Parliament of Canada to provide that where a charge is preferred in any case in which the accused has not been committed for trial by a justice, that the trial shall not proceed without the charge being submitted to a judge of a County or District Court in the same manner and for the same and no other purpose as a bill of indictment might have been preferred before a grand jury before the coming into force of such legislation, provided that such judge shall not take part in the trial, if any.

AND this Legislative Assembly further requests that legislation be passed by the Parliament of Canada providing that in any case where any person has been committed for trial at a preliminary hearing before a justice, the Attorney-General or an agent of the Attorney-General may in his discretion before placing any person on trial on such formal charge submit such charge to a judge of the County or District Court in the same manner and for the same and no other purpose as a bill of indictment might have been preferred before a grand jury before the coming into force of such legislation, provided that such judge shall not take part in the trial, if any.

having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged and the Motion be referred to the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Administration of Justice.

The House resolved itself into a Committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 28), An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the Township of North York.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report one Bill with amendments and one Bill without amendment.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bills reported be severally read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 18), An Act to exempt Officers of His Majesty's Air Force from Jury Duty (title amended to read "An Act to amend The Jurors Act") and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 54), An Act to amend The Mining Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker

resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 52), The Credit Unions Act, 1940, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 45), An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was on the motion of Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That when this House adjourns the present Sitting thereof it do stand adjourned to meet at 2 of the clock to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Provincial Auditor, Ontario, 1938-39. (*Sessional Papers No. 27.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Ontario Municipal Board for year ending December 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 24.*)

Also, Report of The Ontario Research Foundation for year ending December 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 50.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario for year ending October 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 26.*)

The House then adjourned at 11.45 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Stewart—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Was Alex. Carrick, in a New Toronto Police Court, last September, committed to trial, before a court of competent jurisdiction, on a charge of manslaughter: (a) Has the trial directed by the Police Magistrate taken place; (b) If not, why not.

Mr. Doucett—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many persons were members of the Ontario Civil Service Permanent Staff on January 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were members of the Ontario Civil Service Temporary Staff on January 31st, 1940.

Mr. Welsh—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many physicians were employed on January 31st, 1940, in the head office of the Department of Health. 2. How many physicians were on January 31st, 1940, employed at the head office of the Health Department (a) exclusively in the Health division, (b) exclusively in the Hospitals Division, (c) serving both divisions.

Mr. Welsh—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Was Dr. D. R. Fletcher, Superintendent of the Ontario Hospital at Whitby, suspended or dismissed and, if so, why. 2. Was C. J. Astrop, Steward at the Ontario Hospital at Whitby, suspended or dismissed and, if so, why. 3. When were Dr. D. R. Fletcher and C. J. Astrop first employed in the Civil Service. 4. What was the military service of each in the war, 1914-18. 5. If either or both officials have left the service of the Government, state who replaced them, giving name, residence, age and general qualifications and stating on whose recommendation other than that of the Minister and Departmental officials the appointments were made; also state salaries.

Mr. Doucett—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost to January 31st, 1940, of the highway from the Ferguson Highway to Timmins. 2. What has been spent on this highway in the three years ending January 31st, 1940. 3. How many miles of the highway have been paved. 4. What was the average cost per mile of the pavement. 5. In the fiscal years 1939 and 1940 what contracts have been let for grading, paving and all other construction in connection with this highway, giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted; if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and, if so, give particulars. 8. What was the total amount spent in 1939 fiscal year on the Ferguson Highway from North Bay to Cochrane, and what is the estimated amount for the fiscal year 1940. 9. How many miles of paving have been done on the Ferguson Highway from North Bay to Cochrane in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940. 10. What contracts were let for paving in the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 on the Ferguson Highway from North Bay to Cochrane, giving name of contractor, type of pavement, contract prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 11. Were any extensions granted; if so, give particulars. 12. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis; if so, give particulars.

Mr. Doucett—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount which has been assessed as penalties against employers by the Workmen's Compensation Board from April 1st, 1938, to date and what part of this amount has been collected. 2. What is the amount of refunds of amounts assessed against and collected from employers by the Workmen's Compensation Board from April 1st, 1938, to date. 3. Who are the members of the Workmen's Compensation Board, when were they appointed and what are their salaries. 4. How many persons are employed by the Workmen's Compensation Board at date. 5. What persons have been employed by the Workmen's Compensation Board since April 1st, 1938, and what are their respective official titles and salaries. 6. What employees have been dismissed by the Workmen's Compensation Board since April 1st, 1938, giving official title, salary and reason for dismissal or request of resignation in each case.

Mr. Doucett—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts were awarded in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 to the following companies, namely: Dufferin Paving and Crushed Stone, Limited; Dufferin Construction Company, Limited; Northern Paving Company, Limited; Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, Limited; Quebec Paving Company, Limited; instancing in each case: (a) Details as to service or work performed and materials supplied, with unit prices in each case and specifying total amount paid to each company with respect to each contract or other item; (b) Any extensions of contracts, giving full particulars in the case of each such extension. 2. What was the total amount paid to each of the aforementioned companies in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940. 3. Were the contracts awarded on a tender basis and was the lowest tender in each case accepted; if not, specify. 4. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and, if so, give particulars.

Mr. Frost—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who were the members of the Ontario Athletic Commission in fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 2. What amount of revenue was received by the Ontario Athletic Commission

in the fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 3. What portion of this revenue accrued to the Commission by collection of a percentage of gate receipts at sporting events in Ontario, and what from other sources, specifying. 4. What amount was paid to each member of the Ontario Athletic Commission by way of salary or honorarium during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939 and what amount was paid to each member by way of expenses. 5. Who are the employees of the Ontario Athletic Commission and what are their respective salaries. 6. What were the total expenditures of the Ontario Athletic Commission during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 7. What was the cost of operating the Couchiching Camp during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 8. Who is the Chairman of the Ontario Athletic Commission and what was he paid by way of salary, honorarium or other emolument during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939 and what was he paid for the same periods by way of expenses. 9. Are any camps other than the Couchiching Camp operated by the Ontario Athletic Commission.

No. 29

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PRAYERS.

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Campbell (Kent East) presented the Report of the Standing Committee on Printing which was read as follows and adopted:—

The Standing Committee on Printing presents the following as its Report:—

Your Committee recommends that the Supplies Allowance per member for the current Session be fixed at \$25.00.

Your Committee recommends the purchase of copies of the Canadian Parliamentary Guide, the Canadian Almanac and the Canada Year Book for distribution to the Members of the Assembly.

Your Committee recommends that Sessional Papers for the current year be printed in the following quantities:—

Public Accounts.....	2,750
Estimates.....	1,550
Lands and Forests.....	1,650
Mines.....	3,150
Legal Offices.....	550
Superintendent of Insurance: Abstract.....	1,050
Detailed.....	1,150
Registrar of Loan Corporations: Abstract.....	500
Detailed.....	750
Public Works.....	375
Highways.....	700
Game and Fisheries.....	850
Labour.....	950
Education.....	1,450
University of Toronto.....	400

Births, Marriages and Deaths.....	350
Department of Health.....	1,600
Ontario Hospital for Mentally Subnormal and Epileptics.....	700
General Hospitals, Hospitals for Incurables, Sanatoria and Red Cross Hospitals.....	850
Prisons and Reformatories.....	1,033
Industrial Training Schools.....	858
Public Welfare.....	850
Liquor Control Board.....	1,350
Dept. of Agriculture (Minister).....	1,850
Dept. of Agriculture (Statistics).....	3,850
Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway.....	500
Ontario Municipal Board.....	650
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	3,650
Provincial Auditor.....	400
Workmen's Compensation Board.....	2,650
Ontario Veterinary College.....	1,350
Northern Development Act.....	550
Provincial Police.....	450
Ontario Research Foundation.....	1,350
Niagara Parks Commission.....	650
Fire Marshal.....	1,250

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 22):—

1. Who compose the Industry and Labour Board. 2. What are their salaries and allowances and the dates of their appointments.

The Honourable the Minister of Labour replied as follows:—

1. E. J. Young, Chairman; Miss M. Mangan, Vice-Chairman; J. C. Adams, Solicitor. 2. Mr. Young, \$7,500 per year; May 18th, 1937. Miss Managan, \$3,000 per year; May 25th, 1937. Mr. Adams, \$3,500 per year. June 1st, 1935, Welfare Dept.; June 1st, 1937, Industry and Labour Board. Travelling expenses paid when incurred.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 24):—

1. What issues of Treasury bills were made or renewed in present fiscal year to date. Give date, amount, rate of interest, purchaser and purchase price of each issue. 2. Were tenders called for said issues. 3. If so, give tenders received. 4. If not, why not.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1.—

Date of Issue	Amount	Rate of Interest	Purchase Price	Purchaser
June 1, 1939	\$1,442,000.00	1%	Par	The Dominion Bank.
June 30, 1939	2,000,000.00	1 $\frac{1}{4}$ % Disc.	98.765432	Messrs. Thompson & McKinnon.
Sept. 1, 1939	2,000,000.00	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	Par	The Bank of Nova Scotia.
Sept. 1, 1939	2,000,000.00	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	Par	The Royal Bank of Canada.
Sept. 1, 1939	1,000,000.00	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	Par	The Dominion Bank.
Sept. 1, 1939	5,000,000.00	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	Par	Bank of Montreal.
Sept. 2, 1939	1,000,000.00	1 $\frac{3}{4}$ % Disc.	98.765432	Messrs. Thompson & McKinnon.
Sept. 13, 1939	2,000,000.00	1 $\frac{1}{4}$ %	Par	The Dominion Bank.
Sept. 15, 1939	2,000,000.00	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	Par	The Canadian Bank of Commerce.

2. No. 3. Answered by No. 2. 4. Market conditions make negotiation preferable method.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 25):—

1. What issues of debentures were made in the present fiscal year to date. Give date, amount, rate of interest, name of purchaser and purchase price of each issue. 2. Were tenders called for said issues. 3. If so, give tenders received. 4. If not, why not.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1.—

Date of Issue	Amount	Rate of Interest	Purchase Price	Purchaser
April 15, 1939	\$7,500,000.00	2%	99.00	Wood, Gundy & Co., Ltd.; Bell, Gouinlock & Co., Ltd.; Dominion Securities Corp.; Mills, Spence & Co., Ltd.; A. E. Ames & Co., Ltd.; Royal Securities Corp., Ltd.; Royal Bank of Canada; McTaggart, Hannaford, Birks & Gordon; Canadian Bank of Commerce; Midland Securities Corp., Ltd.; Bank of Montreal; Cochran, Murray & Co., Ltd.; Bank of Nova Scotia; Hanson Bros., Inc.; Dominion Bank; Harrison & Co., Ltd.; Imperial Bank; Fry & Co.; Bank of Toronto; McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Ltd.; Burns Bros. & Denton.
April 15, 1939	7,500,000.00	3%	97.50	do
June 1, 1939	6,000,000.00	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	98.85	do
June 1, 1939	10,000,000.00	3%	98.55	do
Nov. 1, 1939	8,614,000.00	3 $\frac{1}{4}$ %	98.30	do
Dec. 1, 1939	3,000,000.00	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	99.40	do
Dec. 1, 1939	9,000,000.00	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	98.50	do
Nov. 1, 1939	1,400,000.00	4 $\frac{3}{4}$ %	100.00	Teachers' and Inspectors' Superannuation Fund (see R.S.O. 1937, Chap. 366).

2. No. 3. Answered by No. 2. 4. Market conditions make negotiation preferable method.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 26):—

What amount of debentures or capital advance was repaid by Agricultural

Development Board to the Treasury of Ontario in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, and March 31st, 1939.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

Fiscal year March 31st, 1936—\$1,100,000.00, fiscal year March 31st, 1937—\$1,700,000.00, fiscal year March 31st, 1938—\$1,865,000.00, fiscal year March 31st, 1939—\$2,185,000.00.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 27):—

What amount was collected from each race track by the Department of Provincial Treasurer under item "Race Tracks \$661,864.77", Public Accounts, 1938-9, page 34.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows—

From Running Races—

Stamford Park.....	\$ 49,294.33
Hamilton Race Track.....	84,547.39
Long Branch Race Track.....	105,705.78
Dufferin Park.....	112,254.18
Fort Erie Race Track.....	75,077.32
Woodbine Park.....	135,718.18
Thorncliffe Race Track.....	97,019.59
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From Trotting Races—

Arthur.....	\$ 10.00
Athens.....	10.00
Beamsville.....	94.10
Beeton.....	10.00
Brighton.....	10.00
Chelmsford.....	10.00
Chesterville.....	10.00
Collingwood.....	10.00
Curran.....	10.00
Dufferin Park.....	120.00
Exeter.....	10.00
Glencoe.....	82.30
Goderich.....	10.00
Hawkesbury.....	10.00
Ingersoll.....	10.00
Kincardine.....	10.00
Listowel.....	10.00
Little Current.....	10.00
London.....	148.50
Napanee.....	10.00
New Hamburg.....	436.40
Newington.....	10.00
Newmarket.....	72.40

Orangeville.....	\$ 30.00
Ottawa.....	40.00
Owen Sound.....	10.00
Penetang.....	10.00
Roblin.....	10.00
Sarnia.....	157.50
Seaforth.....	10.00
Smith's Falls.....	10.00
Stratford.....	542.20
Strathroy.....	224.30
Sudbury.....	30.00
Tillsonburg.....	20.00
Walkerton.....	10.00
Williamsburg.....	20.00
Sundry.....	.30
	<hr/> \$ 2,248.00
	<hr/> \$661,864.77

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 28):—

Who are the Magistrates for the County of York. Give date of appointment and salary in each case.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:—

The following are the particulars of Magistrates presiding at Courts in the County of York:—

Name	Date of Appointment	Salary
William Keith.....	January, 1929	\$3,500 per annum
W. E. McIlveen.....	August, 1928	3,000 " "
W. F. Woodliffe.....	May, 1937	2,500 " "

Mr. Frost asked the following Question (No. 40):—

1. What amount has been collected in license fees or otherwise by the Ontario Securities Commission in each of the years 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939. 2. What was the name, salary and position of each of those employed by the Ontario Securities Commission during each of the years 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939. 3. What was the total expenditure for the Ontario Securities Commission for the year ending March 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:—

1. 1934-5—Nov. 1st, 1934, to March 31st, 1935 (inclusive).....\$104,518.97
 1935-6—April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1936 (inclusive)..... 116,119.51
 1936-7—April 1st, 1936, to March 31st, 1937 (inclusive)..... 157,302.79
 1937-8—April 1st, 1937, to March 31st, 1938 (inclusive)..... 110,254.82
 1938-9—April 1st, 1938, to March 31st, 1939 (inclusive)..... 114,202.57

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ONTARIO SECURITIES COMMISSION

STAFF

Fiscal Year—Nov. 1, 1934, to March 31, 1935

PERMANENT—

Name	Position	No. of Months Employed	Salary
J. M. Godfrey	Commissioner	5	\$7,500 per annum
W. A. Brant	Solicitor	5	3,000 per annum
D. F. Jackson	Assistant Solicitor, Group 2	5	1,800 per annum
W. B. Livett	Clerk, Group 1	3½	1,600 per annum
E. Teasdall	Assistant Registrar	5	1,600 per annum
H. Ruickbie	Secretarial Stenographer	5	1,600 per annum
M. Browne	Senior Clerk Stenographer	5	1,300 per annum
E. M. Browne	Clerk Stenographer, Group 1	5	1,125 per annum
J. Thompson	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2	5	825 per annum
T. C. Fleming	Clerk Typist, Group 1	5	1,125 per annum
C. M. Anderson	Clerk Typist, Group 1	5	900 per annum
G. Hager	Filing Clerk, Group 1	5	1,050 per annum
E. D. Strange	Filing Clerk, Group 1	5	900 per annum
A. M. McBain	Clerk, Group 3	5	750 per annum
J. Clare	Office Boy	5	525 per annum

TEMPORARY—

G. F. Beer	Special Investigator	From Nov. 1/34	\$10 per diem
		From Jan. 24/35	\$143 per month
J. McBride	Special Investigator	From Nov. 1/34	\$10 per diem
		From Jan. 24/35	\$238.33 per month
D. F. Pidgeon	Special Investigator	From Nov. 1/34	\$10 per diem
		From Jan. 24/35	\$238.33 per month
S. Thomson	Special Investigator	From Nov. 1/34	\$6 per diem
		From Jan. 31/35	\$139 per month
M. C. Zimmerman	Special Investigator	From Nov. 1/34	\$7 per diem
		From Jan. 24/35	\$166.83 per month
W. J. Bentley	Special Investigator	From Dec. 1/34	\$10 per diem
			(when employed)
R. H. Dean	Special Investigator	1 month	\$127.50 per month
J. H. Cane	Special Investigator		\$6 per diem
			(when employed)
W. Bredin	Special Investigator	1 month	\$6 per diem
			(when employed)
A. Farwell	Filing Clerk, Group 2	4½ months	\$62.50 per month
L. Tough	Clerk Stenog., Gr. 2	4½ months	\$68.75 per month
M. A. Murphy	Filing Clerk	1 month	\$75.00 per month

ONTARIO SECURITIES COMMISSION

STAFF

Fiscal Year—Nov. 1, 1935, to March 31, 1936

PERMANENT—

Name	Position	No. of Months Employed	Salary
J. M. Godfrey	Commissioner	12	\$7,500 per annum
C. M. Anderson	Filing Clerk, Group 1	12	900 per annum
K. J. Baikie	Filing Clerk, Group 2	4½	750 per annum
W. A. Brant	Solicitor	12	3,000 per annum
M. Browne	Senior Clerk Stenographer	12	1,300 per annum
E. M. Browne	Clerk Stenographer, Group 1	12	1,125 per annum
J. Clare	Office Boy	4	525 per annum
A. M. Farwell	Filing Clerk, Group 2	12	750 per annum
T. C. Fleming	Clerk Typist, Group 1	12	1,125 per annum
G. Hager	Filing Clerk, Group 1	12	1,050 per annum
D. F. Jackson	Assistant Solicitor	12	1,800 per annum
A. M. McBain	Clerk, Group 3	12	750 per annum
H. Ruickbie	Secretarial Stenographer	12	1,600 per annum
R. D. Strange	Filing Clerk, Group 2	6½	900 per annum
E. Teasdall	Assistant Registrar	12	1,600 per annum
J. Thompson	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2	12	825 per annum
A. L. Tough	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2	12	825 per annum

TEMPORARY—

Name	Position	No. of Months Employed	Salary
P. Evans.....	Office Boy.....	2	\$43.75 per month
W. R. Evans.....	Clerk-messenger.....	7	62.50 per month
W. B. Livett (superannuate—retained).....		12	66.66 per month
G. F. Beer.....	Special Investigator.....	6	143.00 per month
		6	156.00 per month
J. McBride.....	Special Investigator.....	6	238.33 per month
		6	260.00 per month
D. F. Pidgeon.....	Special Investigator.....	6	238.33 per month
		6	260.00 per month
S. Thomson.....	Special Investigator.....	6	139.00 per month
		6	156.00 per month
M. C. Zimmerman.....	Special Investigator.....	6	166.83 per month
		6	182.00 per month
E. H. Clark.....	Special Investigator.....	6	\$10 per diem
		6	260.00 per month
W. Bredin.....	Special Investigator.....	6	\$6 per diem
		6	156.00 per month
J. H. Cane, C. D. E. Thomas—Special Investigators.....		\$6	per diem when employed
B. H. Geary.....	Special Investigator.....	\$5	per diem when employed
W. J. Bentley.....	Special Investigator.....	\$10	per diem when employed

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Fiscal Year—Nov. 1, 1936, to March 31, 1937

PERMANENT—

Name	Position	No. of Months Employed	Salary
J. M. Godfrey.....	Commissioner.....	12	\$7,500 per annum
C. M. Anderson.....	Filing Clerk, Group 1.....	12	900 per annum
E. H. Anundson.....	Investigator.....	1	2,000 per annum
K. J. Baikie.....	Filing Clerk, Group 2.....	12	750 per annum
G. F. Beer.....	Investigator.....	2	156 per month
		10	2,000 per annum
W. A. Brant.....	Registrar.....	2	3,000 per annum
		10	3,300 per annum
W. Bredin.....	Solicitor.....	2	156 per month
		10	2,000 per annum
E. M. Browne.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 1.....	12	1,125 per annum
M. Browne.....	Senior Clerk Stenographer.....	12	1,300 per annum
A. J. Cameron.....	Accountant, Group 4.....	7	1,600 per annum
W. R. Evans.....	Clerk-messenger.....	2	62.50 per month
		10	900 per annum
A. M. Farwell.....	Filing Clerk, Group 2.....	12	750 per annum
T. C. Fleming.....	Clerk Typist, Group 1.....	12	1,125 per annum
G. Hager.....	Filing Clerk, Group 1.....	12	1,050 per annum
D. F. Jackson.....	Solicitor.....	2	1,800 per annum
		5	2,000 per annum
A. M. McBain.....	Clerk, Group 2.....	2	750 per annum
		10	900 per annum
H. Ruickbie.....	Secretarial Stenographer.....	12	1,600 per annum
H. Snelgrove.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2.....	2	900 per annum
E. Teasdall.....	Assistant Registrar.....	10	1,600 per annum
J. C. Thompson.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2.....	2	825 per annum
		10	900 per annum
S. M. Thomson.....	Investigator.....	2	156 per month
		10	2,000 per annum
A. L. Tough.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2.....	12	825 per annum

TEMPORARY—

E. H. Clark.....	Investigator.....	12	260 per month
J. A. Mahon.....	Investigator.....	5	166.66 per month
J. McBride.....	Investigator.....	12	260 per month
D. F. Pidgeon.....	Investigator.....	11	260 per month
A. W. Verity.....	Investigator.....	7	166.66 per month
M. C. Zimmerman.....	Investigator.....	2	182 per month
W. B. Livett (superannuate—retained).....		4	66.66 per month
E. Violet.....	Examiner.....	½	100 per month

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Fiscal Year—Nov. 1, 1937, to March 31, 1938

PERMANENT—

Name	Position	No. of Months Employed	Salary
J. M. Godfrey	Commissioner	11	\$8,500 per annum
R. B. Whitehead	Commissioner	1½	8,000 per annum
C. M. Anderson	Filing Clerk, Group 1	1	900 per annum
		11	1,050 per annum
H. Anundson	Investigator	12	2,000 per annum
K. Baikie	Filing Clerk, Group 2	1	750 per annum
		4	825 per annum
G. F. Beer	Investigator	1	2,000 per annum
		11	2,200 per annum
W. A. Brant	Registrar	1	3,300 per annum
		11	4,000 per annum
W. Bredin	Investigator	1	2,000 per annum
		11	2,200 per annum
E. M. Browne	Clerk Stenographer, Group 1	1	1,125 per annum
		11	1,300 per annum
M. Browne	Senior Clerk Stenographer	12	1,300 per annum
A. J. Cameron	Accountant, Group 4	12	1,600 per annum
E. H. Clark	Chief Audit Clerk	1	260 per month
		11	3,200 per annum
W. R. Evans	Clerk-messenger	1	900 per annum
A. Farwell	Filing Clerk, Group 1	1	750 per annum
		11	1,050 per annum
T. C. Fleming	Clerk Typist, Group 1	1	1,125 per annum
		11	1,200 per annum
G. Hager	Filing Clerk, Group 1	1	1,050 per annum
		11	1,200 per annum
J. A. Mahon	Investigator	1	166.66 per month
		11	2,200 per annum
C. Marcotte	Filing Clerk, Group 2	5	825 per annum
A. McBain	Clerk, Group 2	1	900 per annum
		11	975 per annum
J. McBride	Investigator	1	260 per month
		11	3,200 per annum
R. L. Pavey	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2	7½	750 per annum
H. Ruickbie	Secretary	1	1,600 per annum
		11	2,000 per annum
H. Snelgrove	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2	12	900 per annum
J. Thompson	Clerk Stenographer, Group 1	1	900 per annum
		11	975 per annum
S. M. Thomson	Investigator	1	2,000 per annum
		11	2,200 per annum
L. Tough	Clerk Stenographer, Group 1	1	825 per annum
		11	975 per annum
A. Verity	Investigator	1	166.66 per month
		11	2,200 per annum
E. Violet	Filing Clerk, Group 1	12	1,200 per annum
J. Vogan	Clerk-messenger, Group 2	11	900 per annum
L. M. Patchett	Filing Clerk, Group 2 (Tem.)	7½	68.75 per month

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PERMANENT—

Name	Position	No. of Months Employed	Salary
R. B. Whitehead	Commissioner	12	\$8,000 per annum
W. A. Brant	Registrar	12	4,000 per annum
C. M. Anderson	Filing Clerk, Group 1	12	1,050 per annum
E. H. Anundson	Investigator	12	2,000 per annum
G. F. Beer	Investigator	12	2,200 per annum
W. Bredin	Investigator	1	2,200 per annum

Name	Position	No. of Months Employed	Salary
E. M. Browne.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 1.....	12	\$1,300 per annum
M. Browne.....	Senior Clerk Stenographer.....	12	1,300 per annum
A. J. Cameron.....	Accountant, Group 4.....	12	1,600 per annum
M. E. Cameron.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2.....	4	900 per annum
W. K. C. Campbell.....	Audit Accountant.....	6½	3,600 per annum
E. H. Clark.....	Chief Audit Clerk.....	12	3,200 per annum
A. Farwell.....	Filing Clerk, Group 1.....	12	1,050 per annum
T. C. Fleming.....	Clerk Typist, Group 1.....	12	1,200 per annum
G. Hager.....	Filing Clerk, Group 1.....	12	1,200 per annum
J. A. Mahon.....	Investigator.....	12	2,200 per annum
C. Marcotte.....	Filing Clerk, Group 2.....	12	825 per annum
A. McBain.....	Clerk, Group 2.....	12	975 per annum
J. McBride.....	Investigator.....	12	3,200 per annum
L. Patchett.....	Filing Clerk, Group 2.....	12	825 per annum
R. L. Pavey.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2.....	12	750 per annum
H. Ruickbie.....	Secretary.....	12	2,000 per annum
H. Snelgrove.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2.....	12	900 per annum
J. Thompson.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 1.....	12	975 per annum
S. M. Thomson.....	Investigator.....	12	2,200 per annum
L. Tough.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 1.....	1½	975 per annum
A. Verity.....	Investigator.....	12	2,200 per annum
E. Violet.....	Filing Clerk, Group 1.....	12	1,200 per annum
J. Vogan.....	Clerk-messenger, Group 2.....	12	900 per annum

TEMPORARY—

A. E. Archer.....	Clerk Stenographer, Group 2.....	2	68.75 per month
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3. April 1st, 1939, to January 31st, 1940 (actual).....	\$61,217.08
Month of February, 1940 (estimated).....	6,288.00
Month of March, 1940 (estimated).....	6,248.00
	<hr/> \$73,753.08

Mr. Arnott asked the following Question (No. 47):—

1. For what period was Earl Hutchinson a member of the Workmen's Compensation Board and at what salary. 2. Did he resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign, or was he dismissed. 3. If he was requested to resign, or if he was dismissed, why. 4. If he has applied for, or been appointed to, any other position in the public service of Ontario, give particulars.

The Honourable the Minister of Labour replied as follows:—

1. October 30th, 1934, to October 31st, 1939, \$6,500 per annum. 2. (a) No, (b) Yes, (c) Yes. 3. Lack of co-operation with other members of the Board and staff. 4. No application received.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 28), An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the Township of North York.

Bill (No. 18), An Act to amend The Jurors Act.

Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act.

Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

Bill (No. 54), An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Bill (No. 52), The Credit Unions Act, 1940.

Bill (No. 45), An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

The House resolved itself into a Committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Township of Melancthon.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting William C. Wride and Josie Wride.

Bill (No. 27), An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Bill (No. 37), An Act respecting the County of Lennox and Addington.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without any amendments.

Ordered, That the Bills reported be severally read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 55), An Act to amend The Unwrought Metal Sales Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 62), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1940, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 63), The Assessment Amendment Act, 1940, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 64), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1940, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 66), An Act to permit the Exportation of Peeled Spruce Pulpwood.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 65), An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time, the Motion having been put, was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Fairbank	Macfie
Baker	Fletcher	MacGillivray
Ballantyne	Freeborn	MacKay
Bégin	Gardhouse	Mercer
Bélanger	Glass	Miller
Bethune	Gordon	Murray
Blakelock	Guthrie	McEwing
Bradley	Habel	McQuesten
Brownridge	Hagey	Newland
Campbell	Haines	Nixon
(Kent, East)	Heenan	(Brant)
Carr	Hepburn	Nixon
Cholette	(Elgin)	(Temiskaming)
Conant	Hipel	Oliver
Cooper	Houck	Patterson
Cox	Hunter	Simpson
Croome	Kelly	Sinclair
Cross	King	Strachan
Dewan	Kirby	Trottier—57.
Dickson	Lamport	
Elliott	Leduc	

NAYS

Acres	Elgie	Macaulay
Arnott	Frost	Murphy
Baird	Henry	Reynolds
Black	Hepburn	Spence
Doucett	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Stewart
Downer	Kennedy	Summerville
Drew	Kidd	Welsh—21.
Duckworth		

And the House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty, for the services of the year ending March 31st, 1941, the following sums:—

67. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Health	\$ 248,800.00
68. To defray the expenses of the Maternal and Child Hygiene and Public Health Nurses Branch	36,850.00
69. To defray the expenses of the Dental Service Branch	14,530.00
70. To defray the expenses of the Inspection of Training Schools for Nurses Branch	17,750.00
71. To defray the expenses of the Epidemiology Branch	209,100.00

72. To defray the expenses of the Venereal Diseases Branch	\$ 124,050.00
73. To defray the expenses of the Tuberculosis Prevention Branch	173,950.00
74. To defray the expenses of the Industrial Hygiene Branch	68,330.00
75. To defray the expenses of the Sanitary Engineering Branch	49,050.00
76. To defray the expenses of the Laboratory Branch	130,100.00
77. To defray the expenses of the Laboratory Division's Branch	72,750.00
78. To defray the expenses of the Hospitals, General Office— Grants, etc., General Expenses—Ontario Hospitals	4,008,100.00
79. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Brockville	397,850.00
80. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Cobourg	162,350.00
81. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Fort William	65,900.00
82. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Hamilton	513,800.00
83. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Kingston	440,000.00
84. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Langstaff	140,900.00
85. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, London	596,400.00
86. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, New Toronto	523,800.00
87. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Concord Unit, New Toronto	38,400.00
88. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Orillia	528,400.00
89. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Penetanguishene	242,770.00
90. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Toronto	431,350.00
91. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Whitby	678,300.00
92. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Woodstock	520,200.00
93. To defray the expenses of the Toronto Psychiatric Hospital	125,370.00
94. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Brampton	6,900.00
1. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Agriculture	153,675.00
2. To defray the expenses of the Statistics and Publications Branch	11,880.00
3. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural and Horticultural Societies Branch	115,595.00
4. To defray the expenses of the Live Stock Branch	67,975.00
5. To defray the expenses of the Institutes Branch	70,110.00
6. To defray the expenses of the Dairy Branch	128,280.00
7. To defray the expenses of the Milk Control Board	49,925.00
8. To defray the expenses of the Fruit Branch	94,150.00
9. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural Representatives Branch	330,000.00
10. To defray the expenses of the Crops, Seeds and Weeds Branch	37,325.00
11. To defray the expenses of the Co-Operation and Markets Branch	30,000.00
12. To defray the expenses of the Kemptville Agricultural School	95,750.00
13. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Veterinary College	74,000.00
14. To defray the expenses of the Western Ontario Experimental Farm	28,400.00
15. To defray the expenses of the Demonstration Farm, New Liskeard	13,020.00
16. To defray the expenses of the Demonstration Farm, Hearst	5,500.00
17. To defray the expenses of the Northern Ontario Branch	25,300.00
18. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Agricultural College	790,000.00

19. To defray the expenses of the Co-operation and Markets Branch.....	\$ 25,000.00
34. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Education.....	71,300.00
35. To defray the expenses of the Legislative Library.....	16,750.00
36. To defray the expenses of the Public Records and Archives...	5,200.00
37. To defray the expenses of the Public and Separate School Education Branch.....	4,608,000.00
38. To defray the expenses of the Inspection of Schools Branch.....	542,645.00
39. To defray the expenses of the Departmental Examinations Branch	222,100.00
40. To defray the expenses of the Text-Books Branch.....	67,500.00
41. To defray the expenses of the Training Schools Branch.....	112,300.00
42. To defray the expenses of the Toronto Normal and Model Schools.....	127,050.00
43. To defray the expenses of the Ottawa Normal School.....	63,950.00
44. To defray the expenses of the London Normal School.....	44 000.00
45. To defray the expenses of the Hamilton Normal School.....	43,650.00
46. To defray the expenses of the Peterborough Normal School..	38,955.00
47. To defray the expenses of the Stratford Normal School.....	35,700.00
48. To defray the expenses of the North Bay Normal School....	37,700.00
49. To defray the expenses of the University of Ottawa Normal School.....	86,925.00
50. To defray the expenses of the High Schools and Collegiate Institutes Branch.....	802,500.00
51. To defray the expenses of the Public Libraries Branch.....	113,950.00
52. To defray the expenses of the Vocational Education Branch..	1,525,150.00
53. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Training School for Technical Teachers.....	29,050.00
54. To defray the expenses of the Superannuated Teachers.....	9,800.00
55. To defray the expenses of the Provincial and other Universities	1,761,000.00
56. To defray the expenses of the Ontario School for the Deaf, Belleville.....	159,725.00
57. To defray the expenses of the Ontario School for the Blind, Brantford.....	94,100.00
20. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Attorney-General.....	74,675.00
21. To defray the expenses of the Supreme Court.....	82,125.00
22. To defray the expenses of the Shorthand Reporters.....	33,050.00
23. To defray the expenses of the Toronto and York Crown Attorney's Office.....	27,550.00
24. To defray the expenses of the Land Titles Office.....	27,950.00
25. To defray the expenses of the Drainage Referees.....	2,500.00
26. To defray the expenses of the Criminal Justice Accounts....	1,065,600.00
27. To defray the expenses of the Public Trustee's Office.....	65,150.00
28. To defray the expenses of the Official Guardian's Office.....	32,950.00
29. To defray the expenses of the Accountant's Office, Supreme Court of Ontario.....	23,550.00
30. To defray the expenses of the Fire Marshal's Office.....	56,575.00
31. To defray the expenses of the Inspector of Legal Offices.....	77,740.00

32. To defray the expenses of the Law Enforcement Branch (Provincial Police).....	\$1,414,225.00
33. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Securities Commission.....	63,870.00
101. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Insurance.....	61,000.00
129. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Mines.....	287,925.00
130. To defray the expenses of the Gas and Oil Well Inspectors Branch.....	9,200.00
131. To defray the expenses of the Sulphur Fumes Arbitrator.....	5,000.00
132. To defray the expenses of the Temiskaming Testing Laboratories.....	17,000.00
133. To defray the expenses of the Offices of Mining Recorders.....	42,500.00
134. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Municipal Affairs.....	77,910.00
135. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Municipal Board.....	30,460.00
159. To defray the expenses of the Main Office: Grants—Refuges, Orphanages, etc., Department of Public Welfare.....	218,705.00
160. To defray the expenses of the Children's Aid Branch.....	161,105.00
161. To defray the expenses of the Mothers' Allowances Commission.....	5,271,420.00
162. To defray the expenses of the Old Age Pensions' Commission.....	3,475,165.00
163. To defray the expenses of the Branches—Old Age Pensions Commission.....	10,050,000.00
95. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Highways.....	401,800.00
96. To defray the expenses of the Division Offices, Department of Highways.....	418,000.00
97. To defray the expenses of the Municipal Roads Branch.....	75,000.00
98. To defray the expenses of the Gasoline Tax Branch.....	50,000.00
99. To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous Permits Branch.....	20,000.00
100. To defray the expenses of the Motor Vehicles Branch.....	165,000.00
102. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Labour.....	64,610.00
103. To defray the expenses of the Industry and Labour Board.....	14,355.00
104. To defray the expenses of the Apprenticeship Branch.....	26,105.00
105. To defray the expenses of the Boiler Inspection Branch.....	25,300.00
106. To defray the expenses of the Factory Inspection Branch.....	9,770.00
107. To defray the expenses of the Board of Examiners of Operating Engineers.....	26,980.00
108. To defray the expenses of the Employment Offices.....	180,500.00
109. To defray the expenses of the Minimum Wage Board.....	37,775.00
110. To defray the expenses of the Composite Inspection Division.....	106,605.00
111. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Government Employment Offices.....	55,000.00
58. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	71,100.00
59. To defray the expenses of the Districts, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	232,500.00
60. To defray the expenses of the Game, Animals and Birds, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	25,000.00
61. To defray the expenses of the Experimental Fur Farm, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	100.00

62. To defray the expenses of the Macdiarmid	\$ 3,000.00
63. To defray the expenses of the Biological and Fish Culture Branch	244,900.00
64. To defray the expenses of the Grants, Department of Game and Fisheries	6,400.00
65. To defray the expenses of the Wolf Bounty, Department of Game and Fisheries	27,000.00
66. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Game and Fisheries	15,000.00
128. To defray the expenses of the Office of Lieutenant-Governor ..	10,000.00
143. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Provincial Secretary	54,430.00
144. To defray the expenses of the Registrar-General's Branch	56,570.00
145. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Reformatories and Prisons Branch	159,000.00
146. To defray the expenses of the Board of Parole	17,000.00
147. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph ..	758,000.00
148. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Reformatory, Mimico ..	109,000.00
149. To defray the expenses of the Mercer Reformatory, Toronto ..	147,000.00
150. To defray the expenses of the Industrial Farm, Burwash	522,000.00
151. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Training School for Boys, Bowmanville	157,000.00
152. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Training School for Girls, Galt	81,000.00
142. To defray the expenses of the Provincial Auditor	112,200.00
136. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Prime Minister	20,175.00
137. To defray the expenses of the Office of Executive Council	10,950.00
138. To defray the expenses of the Travel and Publicity Bureau ..	60,000.00
139. To defray the expenses of the Office of Civil Service Commissioner	11,460.00
140. To defray the expenses of the Office of King's Printer	36,775.00
141. To defray the expenses of the Office of Controller of Finance ..	11,910.00
153. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Provincial Treasurer	89,940.00
154. To defray the expenses of the Office of Budget Committee ...	9,520.00
155. To defray the expenses of the Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch	45,525.00
156. To defray the expenses of the Controller of Revenue Branch ..	464,510.00
157. To defray the expenses of the Post Office	147,115.00
158. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Provincial Treasurer	800,000.00
182. To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous	104,400.00
164. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Public Works	108,100.00
165. To defray the expenses of the General Superintendence, Department of Public Works	21,500.00
166. To defray the expenses of the Lieutenant-Governor's Apartment	4,600.00
167. To defray the expenses of the Legislative and Departmental Buildings	400,500.00
168. To defray the expenses of the Osgoode Hall	34,750.00

169. To defray the expenses of the Educational Buildings.....	\$ 14,600.00
170. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural Buildings.....	15,500.00
171. To defray the expenses of the Training Schools.....	1,500.00
172. To defray the expenses of the District Buildings.....	16,320.00
173. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospitals.....	54,130.00
174. To defray the expenses of the Public Works.....	15,000.00
175. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Government Office Building, Kingston.....	3,500.00
176. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural Buildings.....	30,000.00
177. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospitals.....	15,000.00
178. To defray the expenses of the Reformatories.....	1,500.00
179. To defray the expenses of the District Buildings.....	1,000.00
180. To defray the expenses of the Fish Hatcheries.....	18,000.00
181. To defray the expenses of the Public Works.....	460,000.00
125. To defray the expenses of the Office of the Speaker.....	255,525.00
126. To defray the expenses of the Office of Law Clerk.....	12,675.00
127. To defray the expenses of the Office of Crown in Chancery...	4,800.00
112. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Lands and Forests.....	182,200.00
113. To defray the expenses of the Agents, Department of Lands and Forests.....	28,100.00
114. To defray the expenses of the Rondeau Provincial Park.....	16,375.00
115. To defray the expenses of the Ipperwash Beach Provincial Park.....	5,000.00
116. To defray the expenses of the Forests Branch.....	87,000.00
117. To defray the expenses of the Forests Service.....	1,604,425.00
118. To defray the expenses of the Air Service, Department of Lands and Forests.....	289,500.00
119. To defray the expenses of the Radio Service, Department of Lands and Forests.....	50,000.00
120. To defray the expenses of the Woodmen's Employment Act..	8,500.00
121. To defray the expenses of the Clearing Townsites and Removal of Fire Hazards.....	15,000.00
122. To defray the expenses of the Insect Control and Tree Diseases, Department of Lands and Forests.....	17,900.00
123. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Surveys, etc., Department of Lands and Forests.....	58,000.00
124. To defray the expenses of the Forests Service.....	328,600.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature, Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

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The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill (No. 67).

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 67), An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 10.20 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

No. 30

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Miller, from the Standing Committee on Fish and Game, presented their Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee held one meeting at which the hatchery programme of the Department was fully discussed. The Hon. Mr. Nixon outlined the activities of his Department and advised the Committee that hatcheries were now being constructed at the rate of one per year by the Department. Previously the construction programme had been taken care of by the Department of Public Works. Hatcheries and Bass ponds had been constructed at Sandfield, Temiskaming, Muskoka and in Peterborough County.

The Deputy Minister outlined the progress made in raising Maskinonge and also dealt with the matter of commercial spearing, the beaver situation, and wolf bounties.

Mr. Miller discussed the depredations of wolves in the North and suggested that the Department should devote some study to the problem.

Mr. Mackay, Biologist, gave an exhaustive report on the work of the Fish Culture Branch, explaining that the Province had planted more bass and speckled trout in 1939 than ever before.

Mr. Frost asked the following Question (No. 31):—

What was the amount received by the Province from the tax on net revenue of incorporated companies under The Corporations Tax Act, (a) For year ending March 31st, 1936, (b) For year ending March 31st, 1937, (c) For year ending March 31st, 1938, (d) For year ending March 31st, 1939.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

(a) \$1,178,914.72, (b) \$2,415,235.00, (c) \$1,996,059.64, (d) \$2,285,691.88.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 33):—

1. What lands have been purchased by the Ontario Government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, from whom, when and at what price for each parcel. 2. By whom were valuations fixed on behalf of the government. 3. What buildings have been constructed at the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 4. In connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, what buildings have been constructed. 5. What contracts were let in connection with the construction of the Ontario Hospital at Brampton for clearing, excavation, construction of buildings, furnishing and all other items. 6. When will the Ontario Hospital at Brampton be ready for the reception of patients. 7. What staff is employed at the Ontario Hospital, Brampton, giving names, salaries and date of appointment in each case.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:

1. (a) East half of Lots 3, 4, 5, 2nd Concession west of Hurontario Street, Chinguacousy Township, County of Peel, approximately 300 acres, (b) Robert Sterritt, (c) August 20th, 1937, (d) \$50,000.00. 2. Submitted to Property Department and approved. 3. Administration Building. 4. Answered by No. 3. 5. The Goldie Construction Co., Ltd., General Trades, Administration Bldg., George C. Abbott, Ltd., Heating, Administration Bldg., G. R. Muckart, Plumbing, Administration Bldg., Moss Electrical Co., Electric Work, Administration Bldg., Mohan Construction Co., Ltd., Trunk sewers and drains within grounds. 6. Not yet known. 7. One farm hand, Alex. Cranley, \$975 per annum, February 1st, 1940.

Mr. Frost asked the following Question (No. 41):—

1. Has the Toronto Gaol Farm for men located near Langstaff been taken over by the Province. 2. If so, for what purpose has the property been taken over by the Province. 3. What are the terms on which the property has been taken over. 4. For what purpose does the Province propose using the property. 5. What officials and what Ministers recommended taking over the Men's Gaol Farm from the City of Toronto. 6. What was the average inmate population of the Men's Gaol Farm during the calendar year 1939. 7. What disposition is now made of prisoners who ordinarily would have been sent from the Toronto gaol to the Men's Gaol Farm.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows.—

1. Yes. 2. Accommodation of mental patients. 3. Leased from the City of Toronto for the sum of \$1.00 to run concurrently with the occupation of the Ontario Hospital, St. Thomas, by the Department of National Defence. The

Province to maintain the buildings and reimburse the City for taxes payable to the Township of Markham and fire insurance premiums, which amounts are recoverable from the Dominion Government. 4. Answered by No. 2. 5. Minister of Health, Minister of Public Works and Provincial Secretary and officials of their departments. 6. 307. 7. Up to 30 days. Remain in Toronto Gaol. Venereal Cases and Drug Addicts, if 3 months or over, go to Burwash. If under 3 months, they remain in Toronto Gaol. Others transferred to Ontario Reformatory, Mimico.

Mr. Frost asked the following Question (No. 42):—

1. How many inmates were there on December 31st, 1939, at: (a) the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, (b) the Industrial Farm, Burwash, (c) the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico. 2. On December 31st, 1939, how many sentenced persons were employed in road camps or otherwise outside gaols, reformatories and industrial farms. 3. Where have road or construction camps for the incarceration of sentenced persons been established within the Province. 4. What was the cost of establishing each of the road or construction camps for the incarceration of sentenced persons. 5. Who is the Superintendent of each of the road or construction camps established for the incarceration of sentenced persons. 6. What is the number of staff employed in each of the road or construction camps established for the incarceration of sentenced persons.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. (a) Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, 814, (b) Industrial Farm, Burwash, 672, (c) Ontario Reformatory, Mimico, 169. 2. December 31st, 1939—11, January 5th, 1940—100. 3. A road has been built from Seagram to Lukinto Lake at which latter place a camp has been established. This is on the route between Long Lac and Hearst.

4. Base Camp at Lukinto Lake.		Grand
Department of Provincial Secretary—		Total
Furniture and Furnishings.....	\$ 5,596.32	
Plumbing.....	1,100.89	
Electrical.....	103.40	
Telephone Line and Fixtures.....	1,097.24	
Recreation.....	197.10	
Office.....	352.99	
Total.....	\$ 8,447.94	
Department of Highways—		
Road Cost.....	\$ 6,100.00	
Camp Cost.....	22,870.00	
Total.....	\$28,970.00	
		\$37,417.94

5. H. W. Powell, Superintendent, Industrial Farm, Burwash. Sergeant W. J. Catton, in charge at Road Camp. 6. 1 Sergeant, 1 Clerk, 1 Doctor and 15 Officers.

Mr. Arnott asked the following Question (No. 46):—

Since July 11th, 1934, what amounts have been paid by the Government to W. L. Somerville of Hamilton, and with respect to what services, giving particulars in each case.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. Preparation of working drawings from sketch plans prepared by Department of Public Works for erection of buildings, Ontario Hospital, St. Thomas.....	\$126,894.67
Architectural services, restoration of Fort Henry, Kingston, Ontario.....	36,044.18
50% of this amount paid by Ontario Government.	
50% of this amount paid by Dominion Government.	
Architectural services, restoration of Brant House, Burlington, Ontario.....	500.00
Preparation of plans and supervision of ornamentation of Henley Bridge, St. Catharines, Ontario.....	2,199.23
A portion of this amount is being paid by the Dominion Government.	
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	\$165,638.08

Mr. Doucet asked the following Question (No. 49):—

1. What company was awarded a contract for the bridge over Fifteen Mile Creek on Queen Elizabeth Way near St. Catharines. 2. Was construction of bridge completed by the Contractor. 3. If not by whom was construction of the bridge completed. 4. What was the contract price for construction of the bridge. 5. What amount was paid the Contractor and what amount, if any, is still due him. 6. If the Contractor was released from his contract on whose recommendation was such action taken and why. 7. What was the cost of completing the work after the contractor ceased operations.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. Keystone Contractors Ltd. 2. Yes. 3. See Question 2. 4. Approximately \$22,135.58, contract included other work. 5. Approximately \$47,410.74, contract included other work. No further money due. 6. Contractor completed contract. 7. \$1,061.51 was spent by the Department on sundry construction.

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 50):—

1. What lands were purchased for the construction of a mental hospital at or near the City of Port Arthur, from whom were they purchased and what was the purchase price of each parcel. 2. What contracts were let and for what amount, and to whom, with respect to the construction of the hospital. 3. What buildings have been constructed. 4. Is any construction work going on at the

present time with respect to the Port Arthur Mental Hospital. 5. Is any staff employed at the present time at the Port Arthur Mental Hospital and if so what are their names and salaries and what are their duties.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. The City of Port Arthur granted for the sum of \$1.00 approximately 181 acres situate in the easterly part of the City.

2. Name of Contractor	Nature of Contract	Contract Price
J. Tocheri.....	General Trades for construction of Administration Bldg.	\$84,500.00
Mahon Electric Co.....	Electrical Work, Administration Bldg.....	3,236.75
Summers and Darling Co..	Plumbing and Heating, Administration Bldg.....	7,598.00

3. Administration Building. 4. No. 5. No.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 51):—

1. How many miles of the new highway on Kingston Road east of Toronto have been illuminated. 2. What was the cost per mile.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:

1. 2.77 miles. 2. \$8,483.75.

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 52):—

1. What was the cost of the decorative features of the approaches to Henley Course Bridge near St. Catharines including stone galleons, lions, wing walls and other decorative features. 2. Who designed these decorative features and what was he paid for his services.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. The special features referred to, of the King George and Queen Elizabeth Memorial Bridge, added to commemorate the Royal Visit as an extension to the then existing contract cost \$49,704.39, including materials, engineering and architect's fees. By arrangement with the Dominion Government the said cost is shared equally by the Ontario and Dominion Governments. 2. W. L. Somerville, \$2,199.23, fifty per cent of which is shared by the Dominion Government as outlined in answer to No. 1.

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 53):—

1. How many patients were in residence in the Ontario Hospitals on January

31st, 1940. 2. How many patients were boarded out from the Ontario Hospitals as of date January 31st, 1940. 3. How many patients were on probation from the Ontario Hospitals as of date January 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. 13,606. 2. 531. 3. 1,165.

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 54):—

1. What was the total cost of restoration and renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston including road construction involved in the project. 2. Has the Dominion government reimbursed the government of the Province of Ontario with respect to a portion of the cost and if so, to what extent. 3. What amount was paid to W. L. Somerville of Hamilton for his services in connection with the restoration of Old Fort Henry. 4. What was the nature of the services which W. L. Somerville rendered.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. \$831,895.10, including roadway. 2. Yes. \$400,698.57. 3. \$36,044.18, 50% of which is paid by the Dominion Government. 4. Architectural designing and supervision.

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 55):—

1. Who, under the direction of the Superintendent and the Deputy Provincial Secretary, is directly responsible for the purchase of cattle, hogs and other live stock for slaughter at the abattoir operated in connection with the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph. 2. What is his salary, when was he appointed and what former experience has he had in this line of work. 3. What amounts have been paid and to whom since July 11th, 1934, for cartage of abattoir products from the abattoir at the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, to the Ontario Hospitals. 4. Who now attends to the cartage of abattoir products from the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph to the Ontario Hospitals and what is the general arrangement therewith. 5. If transportation of abattoir products from the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph to the Ontario Hospitals is handled by a truck owned by the Ontario government: (a) When was truck purchased, (b) From whom was truck purchased, (c) What was cost of said truck, (d) Was truck purchased by tender and was the lowest tender accepted, (e) What to date is the cost of maintenance of truck including wages of driver, gasoline, repairs and all other items. 6. For the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939: (a) What was the cost of live stock purchased for slaughter at the abattoir at the Guelph Reformatory, (b) What was the cost of carcasses and other meat products purchased by the Guelph Reformatory for resale at other institutions or for use at the Reformatory.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. Gordon W. Morrison. 2. Salary—\$2,200.00 per annum. Appointed—

April 14th, 1937. Experience—6 years packing house experience, including 4 years as Factory Superintendent with F. W. Fearman Co., Hamilton.

3. S. W. Stull.....	\$ 6,134.25
Rob Roy.....	2,343.45
R. Floyd.....	25,260.03

Total paid by Provincial Secretary's Department.....	\$33,737.73
R. Floyd.....	\$ 8,468.92
W. J. Telford.....	281.98

Total paid by Department of Health.....\$ 8,750.90

GRAND TOTAL.....\$42,488.63

4. Abattoir products are delivered from the Ontario Reformatory, at Guelph, to the Ontario Hospitals by truck, operated by the Department of Health. 5. (a) Truck was put into service November 24th, 1939, (b) Elliott Autocar Trucks, 40 Oxford St., Toronto, (c) \$6,622.00, (d) Yes, yes, (e) \$748.24. 6. (a) \$181,443.64, (b) \$79,075.88, including spices, binders and casings.

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 56):—

1. Since the 11th day of July, 1934, what new buildings by way of patients' accommodation and nurses' homes have been completed at the Ontario Hospitals at Brockville, Hamilton, London, New Toronto, Orillia and Woodstock, giving the patient or staff accommodation made available in the case of each building and the total cost of each building. 3. Have any buildings been demolished at the Ontario Hospital at London and if so what accommodation for patients or staff was lost by reason of such demolition.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1.—		Accommodation		Cost
Ontario Hospital	Building	Patients Beds	Staff Beds	without furnishings
Brockville.....		...	...	.....
Hamilton.....		...	...	.....
London.....		...	...	.....
New Toronto...	Finishing new wing between Cottages A and B, 3 floors and dining hall and baths in base- ment.....	119	...	\$ 90,000.00
Orillia.....	Cottage K (girls) new addition including fire stairs and base- ment dining hall.....	60	...	73,261.00
Woodstock.....	New Children's Group used for T.B. patients (6 buildings, present population).....	600	...	982,349.00

NOTE—In addition to above new buildings, accommodation has been provided for 155 beds for patients by renovations to existing buildings at the Ontario Hospitals, Hamilton, London, New Toronto.

3. None.

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 57):—

1. How many patients were in residence at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia on January 31st, 1940. 2. How many patients were boarded out from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia as of date January 31st, 1940. 3. How many patients were on probation from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia as of date January 31st, 1940. 4. How many pairs of shoes were manufactured in the factory at the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939. 5. How many pairs of shoes were sold to public institutions from the factory at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939. 6. What new accommodation for patients has been provided at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia since July 11th, 1934. 7. How many applications for admission of patients to the Ontario Hospital at Orillia were on file as of date January 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. 1,987. 2. Nil. 3. 77. 4. 2,371 pairs. 5. 2,381 pair boots. 6. Sun-room Cottage K, increased accommodation for 50 cots. 7. 1,488 applications.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 58):—

1. Was Alex. Carrick, in a New Toronto Police Court, last September, committed to trial, before a court of competent jurisdiction, on a charge of manslaughter: (a) Has the trial directed by the Police Magistrate taken place, (b) If not, why not.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:—

1. Yes, (a) No. See answer to (b), (b) On September 15th, 1939, the Grand Jury at the sittings of the Supreme Court of Ontario for the County of York returned "No Bill."

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 59):—

1. How many persons were members of the Ontario Civil Service Permanent Staff on January 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were members of the Ontario Civil Service Temporary Staff on January 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. 6,053. 2. 1,716.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 60):—

1. How many physicians were employed on January 31st, 1940, in the

head office of the Department of Health. 2. How many physicians were on January 31st, 1940, employed at the head office of the Health Department (a) exclusively in the Health Division, (b) exclusively in the Hospitals Division, (c) serving both divisions.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. 24. 2. (a) 14, (b) 3, (c) 7.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 61):—

1. Was Dr. D. R. Fletcher, Superintendent of the Ontario Hospital at Whitby, suspended or dismissed and, if so, why. 2. Was C. J. Astrop, Steward at the Ontario Hospital at Whitby, suspended or dismissed and, if so, why. 3. When were Dr. D. R. Fletcher and C. J. Astrop first employed in the Civil Service. 4. What was the military service of each in the war, 1914-18. 5. If either or both officials have left the service of the Government, state who replaced them, giving name, residence, age and general qualifications and stating on whose recommendation other than that of the Minister and Departmental officials the appointments were made, also state salaries.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. No. 2. Yes, unsatisfactory services. 3. Dr. D. R. Fletcher appointed June 7th, 1920, Mr. C. J. Astrop, April 1st, 1919. 4. Dr. Fletcher—4 years, Canada, England, Egypt, France. Mr. Astrop—3½ years, Canada, England France. 5. Mr. C. J. Astrop has been replaced by the transfer of Mr. W. A. McIntyre, residence, St. Thomas, age 55, general qualifications, previously Steward of the Ontario Hospital, St. Thomas, transferred on the recommendation of the Minister, at a salary of \$2,200.00.

Mr. Frost asked the following Question (No. 65):—

1. Who were the members of the Ontario Athletic Commission in fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 2. What amount of revenue was received by the Ontario Athletic Commission in the fiscal year 1938 and 1939. 3. What portion of this revenue accrued to the Commission by collection of a percentage of gate receipts at sporting events in Ontario, and what from other sources, specifying. 4. What amount was paid to each member of the Ontario Athletic Commission by way of salary or honorarium during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939 and what amount was paid to each member by way of expenses. 5. Who are the employees of the Ontario Athletic Commission and what are their respective salaries. 6. What were the total expenditures of the Ontario Athletic Commission during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 7. What was the cost of operating the Couchiching Camp during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 8. Who is the Chairman of the Ontario Athletic Commission and what was he paid by way of salary, honorarium or other emolument during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939 and what was he paid for the same periods by way of expenses. 9. Are any camps other than the Couchiching Camp operated by the Ontario Athletic Commission.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. MEMBERS OF COMMISSION

1938	1939
Dr. J. A. Faulkner, Chairman (Resigned)	P. J. Mulqueen, Chairman
Dr. F. P. Moore (Resigned)	L. P. Conacher, M.P.P., Vice-Chairman
W. J. Mills (Resigned)	A. E. Lyon
R. C. Buckley (Resigned)	W. A. Fry
A. E. Lyon	E. G. Farr
P. J. Mulqueen, Chairman	
L. P. Conacher, M.P.P.	
W. A. Fry	
E. G. Farr	

2. Revenue—1938, \$27,485.85, 1939, \$28,079.34.

3.—	1938	1939
Percentage of Gate Receipts.....	\$18,936.37	\$21,311.60
Tax on Purses.....	740.10	839.45
Club Licenses.....	3,000.00	2,000.00
License Cards.....	1,119.00	1,425.00
Fines.....	410.00	420.00
Permits.....	1,525.00	1,420.00
Bank Interest.....	37.24	202.19
Blue Prints.....	3.75	2.00
Camp.....	1,714.39	459.10

4.—

1938—	Travelling	Per Diem	Total
P. J. Mulqueen.....	\$ 124.35	\$ 55.00	\$ 179.35
L. P. Conacher, M.P.P.....	24.00	10.00	34.00
A. E. Lyon.....	334.86	85.00	419.86
Dr. F. P. Moore.....	61.17	35.00	96.17
W. J. Mills.....	144.50	90.00	234.50
W. A. Fry.....	56.80	20.00	76.80
R. C. Buckley.....	57.89	57.89
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	\$ 803.57	\$ 295.00	\$1,098.57
E. G. Farr.....
1939—			
P. J. Mulqueen.....	\$ 373.00	\$ 105.00	\$ 478.00
L. P. Conacher.....	118.40	25.00	143.40
A. E. Lyon.....	726.91	180.00	906.91
W. A. Fry.....	237.80	75.00	312.80
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	\$1,456.11	\$ 385.00	\$1,841.11
E. G. Farr.....

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1938—	
J. P. FitzGerald, Secretary.....	\$1,200.00
O. A. Pinkston, Organizing Secretary.....	1,200.00
Gordon Bidwell, Camp Caretaker.....	900.00

1939—

I. P. FitzGerald, Secretary.....	\$1,575.00
A. W. Steel, Organizing Secretary.....	1,820.00
Gordon Bidwell, Camp Caretaker.....	900.00

6. Expenditure—1938, \$17,545.03, 1939, \$22,551.89.

7. 1938 (Net), \$6,871.65. 1939 (Net), \$9,336.21.

8. See answer to Question 4. In 1938. Dr. J. A. Faulkner, Minister of Health was Chairman for a period during which he did not receive any honorarium, per diem allowance or travelling expenses.

9. No.

On the motion of Mr. Arnott, seconded by Mr. Kidd,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing:—1. What purchases of coal were made by the government during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939, indicating (a) the institutions or buildings for which coal was purchased, (b) the kinds and quantities of coal supplied by each dealer, to each institution, (c) the per ton price with respect to each purchase, (d) the total amount paid to each dealer with respect to coal supplied to each institution or building. 2. Was the coal purchased on a tender basis. 3. Were tenders advertised for, and if so, when and in what newspapers. 4. Was each dealer who so desired allowed to tender. 5. What was the total quantity of Nova Scotia coal purchased by the government in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question:—What remuneration was received by each licensed dealer collecting gasoline tax for the Department of Highways in fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939.

The Honourable the Prime Minister stated that it was not in the public interest to give the information asked and with the consent of the House the Question was withdrawn.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Township of Melancthon.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting William C. Wride and Josie Wride.

Bill (No. 27), An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Bill (No. 37), An Act respecting the County of Lennox and Addington.

Bill (No. 55), An Act to amend The Unwrought Metal Sales Act.

Bill (No. 62), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1940.

Bill (No. 64), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1940.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 66), An Act to permit the Exportation of Spruce Pulpwood, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 65), An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 67), An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The Order of the Day for the third reading of Bill (No. 63), The Assessment Act, 1940, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be forthwith again referred to a Committee of the Whole, with instructions to amend the same.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had amended the Bill as directed.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time forthwith.

The Bill was then read the third time, and passed.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 66), An Act to permit the Exportation of Peeled Spruce Pulpwood.

Bill (No. 65), An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act.

Bill (No. 67), An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

The motion of Mr. Challies, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: Agreement or agreements made between the Government, or the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, and any, or all, power companies, relative to the export of power now being made to Massena, New York, having been called,

The Motion was, with the consent of the House, withdrawn.

The Motion of Mr. Challies, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: All surveys and minutes of meetings of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission relative to or involved in the proposed development of the international section of the St. Lawrence River since October 1st, 1937, having been called,

The Motion was, with the consent of the House, withdrawn.

The Motion of Mr. Challies, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: All letters, memoranda, communications and reports relative to the development of the international section of the St. Lawrence River for Hydro power since October 1st, 1937, of or in possession of:—

1. The Government of Ontario or any member of such Government.
2. The Hydro-Electric Power Commission or any member of such Commission.

having been called,

The Motion was, with the consent of the House, withdrawn.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 60); An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Negligence Act, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

Mr. Patterson, from Committee of Supply, reported the following Resolutions:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-three thousand, six hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 31st March, 1941

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand, eight hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Statistics and Publications Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifteen thousand, five hundred and ninety-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Agricultural and Horticultural Societies Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-seven thousand, nine hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Live Stock Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand, one hundred and ten dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Institutes Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-eight thousand, two hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Dairy Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand, nine hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Milk Control Board for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-four thousand, one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Fruit Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Agricultural Representatives Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand, three hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Crops, Seeds and Weeds Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Co-operation and Markets Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-five thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Kemptville Agricultural School for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-four thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Veterinary College for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand, four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Western Ontario Experimental Farm for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Demonstration Farm, New Liskeard, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Demonstration Farm, Hearst, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand, three hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Northern Ontario Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and ninety thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Agricultural College for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Co-operation and Markets Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-four thousand, six hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Attorney-General for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-two thousand, one hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Supreme Court, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Shorthand Reporters for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven thousand, five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Toronto and York Crown Attorney's Office for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Land Titles Office for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Drainage Referees for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million and sixty-five thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Criminal Jus tice Accounts for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five thousand, one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Trustee's Office for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Official Guardian's Office for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand, five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Accountant's Office, Supreme Court of Ontario, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-six thousand, five hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Fire Marshal's Office for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-seven thousand, seven hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Inspector of Legal Offices for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million, four hundred and fourteen thousand, two hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Law Enforcement Branch (Provincial Police) for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-three thousand, eight hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Securities Commission for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-one thousand, three hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Education, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislative Library for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand, two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Records and Archives for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four million, six hundred and eight thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public and Separate School Education for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and forty-two thousand, six hundred and forty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Inspection of Schools for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and twenty-two thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Departmental Examinations Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-seven thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Text Books Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twelve thousand, three hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Training Schools Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-seven thousand and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Toronto Normal and Model Schools for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-three thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ottawa Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

44. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of London Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

45. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand, six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hamilton Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

46. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-eight thousand, nine hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Peterborough Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

47. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand, seven hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Stratford Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

48. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand, seven hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of North Bay Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

49. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-six thousand, nine hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of University of Ottawa Normal School for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

50. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and two thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of High Schools and Collegiate Institutes for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

51. *Resolved* That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirteen thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Libraries for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

52. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million five hundred and twenty-five thousand, one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Vocational Education for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

53. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Training College for Technical Teachers for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

54. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand, eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Superannuated Teachers for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

55. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million, seven hundred and sixty-one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Provincial and other Universities for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

56. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-nine thousand, seven hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Training School for the Deaf, Belleville, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

57. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-four thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario School for the Blind, Brantford, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

58. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-one thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Game and Fisheries, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

59. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses

of Districts, Department of Game and Fisheries, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

60. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Game Animals and Birds for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

61. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Experimental Fur Farm for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

62. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Macdiarmid for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

63. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty-four thousand, nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Biological and Fish Culture Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

64. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand, four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Grants, Department of Game and Fisheries, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

65. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Wolf Bounty for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

66. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, General, Department of Game and Fisheries, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

67. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty-eight thousand, eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Health, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

68. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand, eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Maternal and Child Hygiene and Public Health Nursing Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

69. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand, five hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Dental Service Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

70. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Inspection of Training Schools for Nurses Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

71. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and nine thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Epidemiology Branch, Department of Health, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

72. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-four thousand and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Venereal Diseases Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

73. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-three thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Tuberculosis Prevention Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

74. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-eight thousand, three hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Industrial Hygiene Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

75. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Sanitary Engineering Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

76. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Laboratory Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

77. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-two thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Laboratory Divisions Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

78. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four million and eight thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals, General Office, grants, etc., General Expenses, Ontario Hospitals, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

79. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and ninety-seven thousand, eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Brockville, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

80. *Resolved*, that a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-two thousand, three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Cobourg, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

81. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five thousand, nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Fort William, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

82. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and thirteen thousand, eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Hamilton, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

83. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and forty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Kingston, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

84. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty thousand, nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Langstaff, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

85. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and ninety-six thousand, four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, London, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

86. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and twenty-three thousand, eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, New Toronto, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

87. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-eight thousand, four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, New Toronto—Concord Unit, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

88. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and twenty-eight thousand, four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Orillia, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

89. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty-two thousand, seven hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Penetanguishene, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

90. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and thirty-one thousand, three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Toronto, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

91. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and seventy-eight thousand, three hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Whitby, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

92. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and twenty thousand, two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Woodstock, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

93. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-five thousand, three hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Toronto Psychiatric Hospital for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

94. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand, nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospital, Brampton, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

95. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and one thousand, eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Highways, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

96. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Division Offices, Department of Highways, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

97. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Municipal Roads Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

98. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Gasoline Tax Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

99. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous Permits Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

100. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Motor Vehicles Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

101. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Insurance, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

102. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-four thousand, six hundred and ten dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Labour, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

103. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand, three hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Industry and Labour Board for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

104. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand, one hundred and five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Apprenticeship Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

105. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand, three hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Boiler Inspection Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

106. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand, seven hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Factory Inspection Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

107. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand, nine hundred and eighty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Board of Examiners of Operating Engineers for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

108. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Employment Offices for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

109. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand, seven hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Minimum Wage Board for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

110. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and six thousand, six hundred and five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Composite Inspection Division for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

111. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Government Employment Offices for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

112. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-two thousand, two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Lands and forests for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

113. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Agents, Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

114. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand, three hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Rondeau Provincial Park for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

115. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ipperwash Beach Provincial Park for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

116. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-seven thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Forests Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

117. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million, six hundred and four thousand, four hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Forests Service for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

118. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty-nine thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Air Service, Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

119. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Radio Service, Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

120. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Woodmen's Employment Act for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

121. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Clearing Townsites and Removal of Fire Hazards, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

122. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand, nine hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Insect Control and Tree Diseases, Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

123. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-eight thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Surveys, etc., Department of Lands and Forests, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

124. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and twenty-eight thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Forests Service-Reforestation for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

125. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty-five thousand, five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of the Speaker for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

126. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand, six hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Law Clerk for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

127. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand, eight hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Crown-in-Chancery for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

128. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Lieutenant-Governor for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

129. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty-seven thousand, nine hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Mines, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

130. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand, two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Gas and Oil Well Inspectors Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

131. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Sulphur Fumes Arbitrator for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

132. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Temiskaming Testing Laboratories for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

133. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-two thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Offices of Mining Recorders for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

134. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-seven thousand, nine hundred and ten dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Municipal Affairs, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

135. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand, four hundred and sixty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Municipal Board for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

136. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand, one hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Prime Minister, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

137. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand, nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Executive Council for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

138. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Travel and Publicity Bureau for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

139. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand, four hundred and sixty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Civil Service Commissioner for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

140. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand, seven hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of King's Printer for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

141. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand, nine hundred and ten dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Controller of Finances for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

142. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twelve thousand, two hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Provincial Auditor for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

143. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-four thousand, four hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Provincial Secretary, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

144. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-six thousand, five hundred and seventy dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Registrar-General's Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

145. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-nine thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Reformatories and Prisons Branch, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

146. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Board of Parole for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

147. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and fifty-eight thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

148. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and nine thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Reformatory, Mimico, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

149. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-seven thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Mercer Reformatory, Toronto, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

150. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Industrial Farm, Burwash, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

151. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-seven thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Training School for boys, Bowmanville, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

152. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-one thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Training School for Girls, Galt, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

153. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-nine thousand, nine hundred and forty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Provincial Treasurer, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

154. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand, five hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Office of Budget Committee for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

155. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand, five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

156. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty-four thousand, five hundred and ten dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Controller of Revenue Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

157. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-seven thousand, one hundred and fifteen dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Post Office for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

158. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Provincial Treasurer, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

159. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighteen thousand, seven hundred and five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office—Grants, Refuges, Orphanages, etc., Department of Public Welfare, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

160. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-one thousand, one hundred and five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Children's Aid Branch for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

161. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five million, two hundred and seventy-one thousand, four hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His

Majesty to defray the expenses of Mother's Allowances Commission for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

162. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three million, four hundred and seventy-five thousand, one hundred and sixty-five dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Old Age Pensions Commission for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

163. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten Million and fifty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Branches, Old Age Pensions Commission, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

164. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eight thousand, one hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Main Office, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

165. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of General Superintendence, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

166. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Lieutenant-Governor's Apartment, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

167. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislative and Departmental Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

168. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Osgoode Hall, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

169. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand, six hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Educational Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

170. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Agricultural Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

171. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Training Schools, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

172. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand, three hundred and twenty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of District Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

173. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-four thousand, one hundred and thirty dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospitals, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

174. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

175. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Government Office Building, Kingston, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

176. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Agricultural Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

177. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Ontario Hospitals, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

178. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Reformatories, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

179. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of District Buildings, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

180. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Fish Hatcheries, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

181. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty thousand dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

182. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and four thousand, four hundred dollars be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous for the year ending 31st March, 1941.

The several Resolutions having been read the second time were concurred in.

On motion by Mr. Nixon (Brant), seconded by Mr. Cross,

Ordered, That when this House adjourns the present Sitting thereof it do stand adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor—

Annual Report upon the Industrial and Training Schools of the Province of Ontario for the year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 51.*)

Also, Annual Report upon Prisons and Reformatories of the Province of Ontario for the year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 18.*)

Also, Forty-third Annual Report of the Registrar of Loan Corporations for the year ending December 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 7.*)

Also, Sixty-first Annual Report of the Superintendent of Insurance for the year ending December 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 6.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Education, Ontario, for the twelve months ending October 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 11.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Inspector of Legal Offices, Ontario, for the year ending December 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 5.*)

Also, Report of the Minister of Agriculture, Ontario, for the year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 21.*)

Also, Report of the Ontario Veterinary College for the year 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 29.*)

Also, Report relating to the Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths in the Province of Ontario for the year ending December 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 13.*)

Also, Report of the Statistics Branch, Department of Agriculture for the year 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 22.*)

Also, Forty-ninth Annual Report of the Department of Mines for the year 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 4.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs for the Province of Ontario for the year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 31.*)

Also, Report on the Distribution of the Sessional Statutes of Ontario, 1939, from April 1st, 1939, to February 3rd, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 30.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Milk Control Board of Ontario for the year ending December 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 52.*)

Also, Report of the Minister of Public Welfare for the fiscal year 1938-1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 19.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Department of Highways for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 32.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Public Works for the twelve months ending 31st March, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 8.*)

Also, Thirty-second Annual Report of the Game and Fisheries Department for the year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 9.*)

Also, Seventy-second Annual Report of the Ontario Hospitals for the Mentally Ill, Mentally Defective, Epileptic and Habitué Patients for the year ending March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 15.*)

Also, Seventieth Annual Report on the Hospitals and Sanitoria of the Province of Ontario for the year ending September 20th, 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 16.*)

Also, Report of The Workmen's Compensation Board of Ontario for the year 1939. (*Sessional Papers No. 28.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.20 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD, 1940

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

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TORONTO, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 1940

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Leduc presented an interim report of the Select Committee of the Legislature appointed to inquire into the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of national resources by the Department of Lands and Forests which was read, as follows, and adopted:—

The Committee has held twenty sittings and a considerable amount of evidence with regard to the above matter has been submitted to the Committee.

The Committee is of the opinion that it is necessary to continue the inquiry during the recess.

At the sittings on Saturday, February 24th, it was regularly moved by Mr. Nixon and RESOLVED that the Chairman of the Committee do ask the House for permission to continue its sittings during the recess.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province a sum not exceeding Fifty-six million, five hundred and sixty-two thousand, two hundred and fifteen dollars to meet the Supply to that extent granted to His Majesty.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received forthwith.

Mr. Patterson, from the Committee on Ways and Means, reported a Resolution, which was read as follows:—

Resolved, That there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province a sum not exceeding Fifty-six million, five hundred and sixty-two thousand, two hundred and fifteen dollars to meet the Supply to that extent granted to His Majesty.

The Resolution, having been read the second time, was agreed to.

The following Bill was then introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 68), intituled, “An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of Money for the Public Service of the Financial Year ending the 31st day of March, 1941.” *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time forthwith.

The Bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time forthwith.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That the full Sessional Indemnity be paid to those Members absent on account of illness or other unavoidable cause.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Leduc,

Ordered, That the Select Committee of this House appointed by the House on Tuesday, April 18th, 1939, to investigate, enquire into and report upon all matters pertaining to the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests, is hereby authorized to sit during the recess following the present Session of this Assembly,

And that the said Select Committee shall have full power and authority to call for persons, papers, and things, and to examine witnesses under oath, and the Assembly doth hereby command and compel the attendance before the said Select Committee of such persons and the production of such papers and things as the said Committee may deem necessary for any of its proceedings or deliberations, for which purpose the Honourable the Speaker may issue his warrant or warrants.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and being seated upon the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:—

May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sittings thereof passed several Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Acts that had passed severally as follows:—

The following are the titles of the Bills to which Your Honour's Assent is prayed:—

An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

An Act respecting the Township of Melancthon.

An Act respecting St. Paul's Congregation of the United Church of Canada in Orillia.

An Act respecting the City of Brantford.

An Act respecting the Township of North York.

An Act respecting William C. Wride and Josie Wride.

An Act respecting the Village of Sturgeon Point.

An Act respecting the Town of Chelmsford.

An Act respecting the Young Men's Christian Association of Hamilton.

An Act respecting the Young Women's Christian Association of Hamilton.

An Act respecting the Town of Bonfield.

An Act respecting the Village of Killaloe Station.

An Act respecting the Town of Charlton.

An Act respecting the City of London.

An Act to amend The Jurors' Act.

The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1940.

- An Act to amend The Insurance Act.
- An Act respecting Survivorship in Common Disasters.
- An Act to Confirm Tax Sales.
- An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act, 1938.
- The Local Government Extension Act, 1940.
- An Act to amend The Companies Act.
- An Act to amend The Change of Name Act, 1939.
- An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie.
- An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives.
- An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act.
- An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.
- An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.
- An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act, 1939.
- An Act to amend The Public Health Act.
- An Act to amend The Weed Control Act.
- An Act respecting the County of Lennox and Addington.
- The School Law Amendment Act, 1940.
- An Act to amend The Trade-schools Regulation Act, 1938.
- The Blue Water Bridge Act, 1940.
- An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario).
- An Act to amend The Solicitors' Act.
- An Act to amend The Law Society Act.
- An Act to amend The Teachers' and Inspectors' Superannuation Act.
- An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.
- An Act to amend The Securities Act.
- An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

The Credit Unions Act, 1940.

An Act to amend The Mining Act.

An Act to amend The Unwrought Metal Sales Act.

The Municipal Amendment Act, 1940.

The Assessment Amendment Act, 1940.

The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1940.

An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act.

An Act to permit the Exportation of Spruce Pulpwood.

An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

“In His Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these Acts.”

Mr. Speaker then said:—

May it please Your Honour:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and faithful subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Session assembled, approach Your Honour with sentiments of unfeigned devotion and loyalty to His Majesty's person and Government, and humbly beg to present for Your Honour's acceptance a Bill intituled, “An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the Public Service of the financial year ending the 31st day of March, 1941.”

To this Act the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

“The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor doth thank His Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, accept their benevolence and assent to this Bill in His Majesty's name.”

His Honour was then pleased to deliver the following speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:—

As your Sessional duties have been completed I am now able to relieve you of further attendance and, in doing so, I desire to express my appreciation of the services you have rendered.

While you have been in Session we have all experienced deep grief at the death

of our Governor-General, the Right Honourable Baron Tweedsmuir of Elsfield, whose passing is a great and bitter loss to Canada and the British Empire. I noted that you adjourned your deliberations for three days as a mark of respect, and the resolution you passed will form a permanent record in the journals of this Assembly of a truly great man.

Although, due to the war and other circumstances beyond the control of the Government, there will be during the current fiscal year an excess of expenditure over revenue, I am glad to note than in the estimates you have passed for the coming year a small surplus is anticipated, together with a reduction in the gross debt of the Province. With an anticipated decrease in revenue this cannot be achieved except by a reduction in expenditure. In time of war Governments, as well as individuals, must curtail their expenses and I am quite sure that our citizens will accept cheerfully the economies which must be made. At the same time it is satisfactory to know that the efficiency of all the essential services will be maintained. An increase in the rates under The Corporation Tax Act will help to offset the anticipated reduced revenue from other sources.

Amendments which you have made to The Succession Duties Act are intended to remove obstacles which experience has shown may cause lengthy delays in collections. The Treasury Department will now be able to proceed with cases which have remained in abeyance until such time as these doubts with regard to procedure were removed.

The importance of the mining industry in Ontario, which is rapidly approaching the \$250,000,000 mark, has again been emphasized by legislation, freeing small prospecting and development syndicates from certain restrictions which, while desirable in the later stages of operation, might prove a handicap to the individual initiative and enterprise, which has been responsible for the development of many of our great mining areas. The importance of mining in our economic structure is growing year by year and merits all the encouragement that can reasonably be given. Legislation which you have passed will also make more difficult the sale of stolen high-grade ore, and will facilitate prosecutions.

Your Agricultural Committee has held several meetings devoted chiefly to the problem of increasing production to meet the war-time needs of the Allies and to provide, at the same time, for a fair return to our farmers. The part Ontario can play in this connection is of the utmost importance. The Sub-Committee appointed to act with the Department of Agriculture on production policies and the farm labour situation will ensure continuity of effort during the time you are in recess.

The Committee you have appointed to enquire into the administration of justice in the Province is charged with a task of the first importance. During the past half century far-reaching changes have taken place affecting our mode of living and calling for revision of the procedure in our civil and criminal courts. Improvement of practice, the simplifying of procedure and the co-ordinating of effort between the various courts in the interests of economy are some of the matters the Committee will be called on to consider. Above all, however, the Committee will be mindful of its responsibility that no question of expediency shall impair the even quality of justice, which is the right of each and every citizen and to that end all classes of the community will be given an opportunity to be heard.

The Report of the Cancer Commission, which has been placed before you, indicates the care and patience with which all possible treatments have been investigated and checked. Private research workers have in some cases been encouraged to continue their efforts, and the Department of Health will watch closely all developments in the fight against this dread disease.

Election of municipal councils for a period of two years instead of one where, in the interests of economy, it is so desired, will be possible under the local Government Extension Act.

The figures presented to you with respect to the Training School at Galt are very gratifying and the supply of aircraft mechanics, which will be increased as time goes on, will be of material help to the Royal Canadian Air Force.

In closing, I desire to congratulate you on the harmonious manner in which you have conducted the business of the Assembly and the financial provision you have made for carrying on the affairs of the Province during the next twelve months. I think all of us realize that the coming year may be the most momentous in the history of the modern world, with Christian civilization and all our ideals of democracy in the balance against pagan brutality and the doctrine that might is right. The barbarities now being inflicted on the Polish people should be a constant warning of what may be expected from a victorious Germany. Under such circumstances, it behooves us to remember one of the oldest of military precepts, namely, that there is strength in unity. Our forefathers sank political difficulties to weld our scattered provinces into the union of confederation, in many cases at great personal sacrifice. That same spirit should guide our steps to-day. The example they set is before us, the prize is not less great. May Divine Providence direct and sustain us in the days that lie ahead.

The Provincial Secretary then said:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:—

It is the will and pleasure of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued and this Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, JANUARY 11TH, 1940

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; OTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PRIVATE BILLS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1940.

1. Jan. 10.—*Consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).*
2. “ 10.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 18), An Act to exempt Officers of His Majesty's Air Force from Jury Duty. Mr. Conant. NOT PRINTED.*
3. “ 10.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 19), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1940. Mr. Conant. NOT PRINTED.*
4. “ 10.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 20), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. Mr. Conant. NOT PRINTED.*
5. “ 10.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Survivorship in Common Disasters. Mr. Conant. NOT PRINTED.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, JANUARY 12TH, 1940

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS, QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS. *From eight o'clock p.m. for the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1940.

2. Jan. 10.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin)—Select Committee to assist Mr. Speaker in the care of the Library.
3. “ 10.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin)—Select Committee to direct the expenditure of any sum set apart in the Estimates for Art Purposes.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1940.

1. Jan. 10.—*Consideration of the Speech of* The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
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3. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 19), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1940. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
4. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 20), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
5. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Survivorship in Common Disasters. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, JANUARY 15TH, 1940

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; PRIVATE BILLS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1940.

1. Jan. 10.—*Consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).*
2. “ *House in Committee on Bill (No. 18), An Act to exempt Officers of His Majesty's Air Force from Jury Duty. Mr. Conant. PRINTED.*
3. “ 10.—*House in Committee on Bill (No. 19), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1940. Mr. Conant. PRINTED.*

1940.

4. Jan. 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 20), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting Survivorship in Common Disasters. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
6. “ 11.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 22), An Act to confirm Tax Sales. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
7. “ 11.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 23), An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act, 1938. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, JANUARY 16TH, 1940

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:— THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS, GOVERNMENT ORDERS, PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; OTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PRIVATE BILLS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1940.

1. Jan. 10.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 19), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1940. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
2. " 10.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 20), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
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GOVERNMENT ORDERS

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17TH, 1940

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8. “ 16.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 24), The Local Government Extension Act, 1940. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, JANUARY 18TH, 1940

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

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6. Jan. 17.---*Second Reading* Bill (No. 25), An Act to amend The Companies Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
7. " 17.---*Second Reading* Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Change of Name Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, JANUARY 19TH, 1940

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, JANUARY 22ND, 1940

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

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PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, JANUARY 23RD, 1940.

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8. “ 22.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 29), An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
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No. 12

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, JANUARY 25TH, 1940

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—THIRD READINGS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS, QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS, OTHER NOTICES OF MOTIONS, PRIVATE BILLS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, JANUARY 26TH, 1940

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READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

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From eight o'clock p.m. for the first hour, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, JANUARY 29TH, 1940

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1940.

1. Jan. 26.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 34), An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Lamport*. **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICE OF MOTION

1940.

1. Jan. 25.—*Mr. Conant*—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the consideration of the following Resolution:—

Resolved—That the exemption from taxation under *The Succession Duty Act, 1939*, provided for by clause g of subsection 1 of section 4 of the said Act be limited so as to apply only in the case of a father, mother or any brother, sister, son, daughter, son-in-law, or daughter-in-law of the deceased or any person adopted while under the age of eighteen years by the deceased under *The Adoption Act*, and also be limited to cases where the disposition was made more than twenty years before the date of death of the deceased.

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, JANUARY 30TH, 1940

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GOVERNMENT ORDERS

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TORONTO, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH, 1940

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH, 1940

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH, 1940

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PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS, QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS. *From eight o'clock p.m.*; for the first hour, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1940.

1. Jan. 30.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Solicitors' Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
2. " 30.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Law Society Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
3. Feb. 1.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 46), An Act to amend The Securities Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1940.

4. Feb. 8.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act. *Mr. Lamport.* **PRINTED.**

PRIVATE BILLS

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9. Feb. 6.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Town of Charlton. *Mr. Nixon* (Temiskaming). **PRINTED.**
10. “ 6.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting the City of London. *Mr. Duncan.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 8.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 28), An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Toronto. *Mr. Strachan.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
13. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Township of Melancthon. *Mr. McEwing.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
14. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the Township of North York. *Mr. Baker.* **PRINTED.**
15. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting William C. Wride and Josie Wride. *Mr. Fletcher.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
16. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 27), An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie. *Mr. Miller.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
17. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 37), An Act respecting the County of Lennox and Addington. *Mr. Black.* **NOT REPRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1940.

2. Feb. 1.—*Mr. Conant*—That this House will on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole House to consider the following Resolution:—

Resolved that

(a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1939 and every fiscal year thereafter pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby;

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(c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1939 and all fiscal years thereafter.

3. Feb. 9.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario in Parliament assembled is of opinion that the grand jury system should be abolished in Ontario, and the said Legislative Assembly hereby requests that the Parliament of Canada pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about the abolition of the grand jury system in the Province of Ontario, and providing for the presentment of a formal charge in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code, Section 873 (5);

AND this Legislative Assembly also requests that legislation be passed by the Parliament of Canada to provide that where a charge is preferred in any case in which the accused has not been committed for trial by a justice, that the trial shall not proceed without the charge being submitted to a judge of a County or District Court in the same manner and for the same and no other purpose as a bill of indictment might have been preferred before a grand jury before the coming into force of such legislation, provided that such judge shall not take part in the trial, if any.

AND this Legislative Assembly further requests that legislation be passed by the Parliament of Canada providing that in any case where any person has been committed for trial at a preliminary hearing before a justice, the Attorney-General or an agent of the Attorney-General may in his discretion before placing any person on trial on such formal charge submit such charge to a judge of the County or District Court in the same manner and for the same and no other purpose as a bill of indictment might have been preferred before a grand jury before the coming into force of such legislation, provided that such judge shall not take part in the trial, if any.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1940.

18. Feb. 15.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
19. Jan. 10.—*House in Committee on Bill (No. 18), An Act to exempt Officers of His Majesty's Air Force from Jury Duty.* *Mr. Conant.*

PRINTED.

20. Jan. 30.—*House in Committee on Bill (No. 38), The School Law Amendment Act, 1940. Mr. Simpson. PRINTED.*
21. Feb. 8.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for Second Reading Bill (No. 48), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. Mr. Conant. PRINTED.*
22. Jan. 30.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act. Mr. Conant. PRINTED.*
23. “ 31.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 45), An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939. Mr. Conant. PRINTED.*
24. Feb. 2.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Judicature Act. Mr. Conant. PRINTED.*
25. “ 7.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act. Mr. Cross. PRINTED.*
26. “ 9.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 52), The Credit Unions Act, 1940. Mr. Dewan. PRINTED.*
27. “ 15.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 54), An Act to amend The Mining Act. Mr. Leduc. PRINTED.*
28. “ 15.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 55), An Act to amend The Unwrought Metal Sales Act. Mr. Leduc. PRINTED.*
29. “ 15.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 56), An Act to amend The Assessment Act. Mr. Cross. PRINTED.*
30. “ 15.—*Second Reading Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. Mr. Cross. PRINTED.*
31. Jan. 25.—*House in Committee of Supply. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).*
32. “ 25.—*House in Committee on Ways and Means. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin.)*

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH, 1940

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

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PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

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22. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who compose the Industry and Labour Board. 2. What are their salaries and allowances and the dates of their appointments.
23. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What remuneration was received by each licensed dealer collecting gasoline tax for the Department of Highways in fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939.
24. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What issues of Treasury bills were made or renewed in present fiscal year to date. Give date, amount, rate of interest, purchaser and purchase price of each issue. 2. Were tenders called for said issues. 3. If so, give tenders received. 4. If not, why not.
25. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What issues of debentures were made in the present fiscal year to date. Give date, amount, rate of interest, name of purchaser and purchase price of each issue. 2. Were tenders called for said issues. 3. If so, give tenders received. 4. If not, why not.

26. Feb. 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What amount of debentures or capital advance was repaid by Agricultural Development Board to the Treasury of Ontario in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938 and March 31st, 1939.
27. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What amount was collected from each race track by the Department of Provincial Treasurer under item “Race Tracks \$661,864.77” Public Accounts 1938-9, page 34.
28. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Who are the Magistrates for the County of York. Give date of appointment and salary in each case.
28. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many cases were prosecuted under The Minimum Wage Act in (a) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, (b) Present fiscal year to date. 2. How much was collected in fines in each of such periods in such prosecutions. 3. How many convictions were registered in such prosecutions in each of said periods.
29. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many cases were prosecuted under The Industrial Standards Act in (a) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, (b) Present fiscal year to date. 2. How much was collected in fines in each of such periods in such prosecutions. 3. How many convictions were registered in such prosecutions in each of such periods.
30. “ 15.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What portion of the item of \$24,141,817.00, the total sales from Breweries and Brewery Warehouses as stated in the report of the Liquor Control Board for the year ending March 31st, 1939, represents sales to authority holders.
31. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the amount received by the Province from the tax on net revenue of incorporated companies under The Corporations Tax Act, (a) For year ending March 31st, 1936, (b) For year ending March 31st, 1937, (c) For year ending March 31st, 1938, (d) For year ending March 31st, 1939.
32. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many physicians, senior assistant physicians, graduate medical internes, other medical internes and dentists were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940. 2. What were their names and salaries and where no salary was being paid, what emoluments did each receive by way of board, lodging or other perquisites. 3. What consultants were attached to the staff of the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940, and at what honoraria or other emolument. 4. How many persons were employed at the Psychiatric

Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940, specifying whether full or part time and including consultants. 5. What was the average number of patients in residence at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, during the year ending January 31st, 1940.

33. Feb. 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands have been purchased by the Ontario Government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, from whom, when and at what price for each parcel. 2. By whom were valuations fixed on behalf of the government. 3. What buildings have been constructed at the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 4. In connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, what buildings have been constructed. 5. What contracts were let in connection with the construction of the Ontario Hospital at Brampton for clearing, excavation, construction of buildings, furnishing and all other items. 6. When will the Ontario Hospital at Brampton be ready for the reception of patients. 7. What staff is employed at the Ontario Hospital, Brampton, giving names, salaries and date of appointment in each case.
34. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many patients were being boarded out from each of the Ontario Hospitals on December 31st, 1939. 2. What was the amount paid by the Government with respect to the boarding out of patients from each of the Ontario Hospitals for the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, and March 31st, 1939. 3. How often are inspections made by the Government with respect to each boarding out home and by whom.
35. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Mental Health Clinics are in operation in conjunction with Ontario Hospitals at date. 2. In connection with which Ontario Hospitals are Mental Health Clinics operating. 3. What was the total cost of operating each Mental Health Clinic during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, including salaries of officials, travelling expenses, and all other incidental expenses.
36. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is any charge made by the Province of Ontario against the Dominion Government for the use of the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas as an Air Training centre. 2. If so, what is the nature and amount of the charge. 3. Has the government of the Dominion agreed with the Province of Ontario as to keeping buildings in present state of repair. 4. Is there any formal agreement between the Province of Ontario and the Dominion of Canada as to the use of the Ontario Hospital, St. Thomas, by the Federal authorities.
37. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the present position of Dr. Wilfred D. Smith with the Ontario Government. 2. When was he appointed his present position. 3. What is his salary.

38. Feb. 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign, or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service. 5. Has a successor been appointed and what is his name and salary and when was he appointed and on whose recommendation. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by F. A. O'Connor.
39. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many inmates were there at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico on December 31st, 1939. 2. On December 31st, 1939, what stock was on hand at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico with respect to: (a) Common brick; (b) Rug or Tapestry brick; (c) Floor tile; (d) Wall tile; (e) Spanish roofing tile; (f) Hollow building tile; (g) Agricultural tile. 3. What is the average daily production at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico, of: (a) Common brick; (b) Rug or Tapestry brick.
40. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been collected in license fees or otherwise by the Ontario Securities Commission in each of the years 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939. 2. What was the name, salary and position of each of those employed by the Ontario Securities Commission during each of the years 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939. 3. What was the total expenditure for the Ontario Securities Commission for the year ending March 31st, 1940.
41. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Toronto Gaol Farm for men located near Langstaff been taken over by the Province. 2. If so, for what purpose has the property been taken over by the Province. 3. What are the terms on which the property has been taken over. 4. For what purpose does the Province propose using the property. 5. What officials and what Ministers recommended taking over the Men's Gaol Farm from the City of Toronto. 5. What was the average inmate population of the Men's Gaol Farm during the calendar year 1939. 7. What disposition is now made of prisoners who ordinarily would have been sent from the Toronto gaol to the Men's Gaol Farm.
42. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many inmates were there on December 31st, 1939, at: (a) the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph; (b) the Industrial Farm, Burwash; (c) the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico. 2. On December 31st, 1939, how many sentenced persons were employed in road camps or otherwise outside gaols, reformatories and industrial farms. 3. Where have road or construction camps for the incarceration of sentenced persons been established within the Province.

4. What was the cost of establishing each of the road or construction camps for the incarceration of sentenced persons.
5. Who is the Superintendent of each of the road or construction camps established for the incarceration of sentenced persons.
6. What is the number of staff employed in each of the road or construction camps established for the incarceration of sentenced persons.

43. Feb. 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is H. W. Cooper employed by the Ontario Government and if so, in what position and at what salary. 2. What position has he held with the Ontario government, for what periods and at what salaries. 3. Was he dismissed or transferred from his position as Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds at the Normal School, Toronto, and if so, why. 4. On whose recommendation was he employed.
44. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Superintendent of the Ontario Reformatory abattoir at Guelph. 2. When was he appointed and at what salary. 3. What Ontario Hospitals purchase their meat supplies other than from the abattoir at the Guelph Reformatory and why.
45. “ 15.—*Mr. Arnott*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases of coal were made by the government during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939, indicating (a) the institutions or buildings for which coal was purchased, (b) the kinds and quantities of coal supplied by each dealer, to each institution, (c) the per ton price with respect to each purchase, (d) the total amount paid to each dealer with respect to coal supplied to each institution or building. 2. Was the coal purchased on a tender basis. 3. Were tenders advertised for, and if so, when and in what newspapers. 4. Was each dealer who so desired allowed to tender. 5. What was the total quantity of Nova Scotia coal purchased by the government in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939.
46. “ 15.—*Mr. Arnott*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Since July 11th, 1934, what amounts have been paid by the Government to W. L. Somerville of Hamilton, and with respect to what services, giving particulars in each case.
47. “ 15.—*Mr. Arnott*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For what period was Earl Hutchinson a member of the Workmen's Compensation Board and at what salary. 2. Did he resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign, or was he dismissed. 3. If he was requested to resign, or if he was dismissed, why. 4. If he has applied for, or been appointed to, any other position in the public service of Ontario, give particulars.

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1940.

14. Feb. 16.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act. *Mr. Elgie*. **PRINTED.**
15. “ 16.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act. *Mr. Elgie*. **PRINTED.**

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3. Feb. 9.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario in Parliament assembled is of opinion that the grand jury system should be abolished in Ontario, and the said Legislative Assembly hereby requests that the Parliament of Canada pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about the abolition of the grand jury system in the Province of Ontario, and providing for the presentment of a formal charge in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code, Section 873 (5);

AND this Legislative Assembly also requests that legislation be passed by the Parliament of Canada to provide that where a charge is preferred in any case in which the accused has not been committed for trial by a justice, that the trial shall not proceed without the charge being submitted to a judge of a County or District Court in the same manner and for the same and no other purpose as a bill of indictment might have been preferred before a grand jury before the coming into force of such legislation, provided that such judge shall not take part in the trial, if any.

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GOVERNMENT ORDERS

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PRINTED.
24. Jan. 31.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 45), An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
25. Feb. 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
26. Jan. 25.—*House in Committee of Supply*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
27. “ 25.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH, 1940

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PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1940.

13. Feb. 16.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act. *Mr. Elgie*. **PRINTED.**
14. “ 16.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act. *Mr. Elgie*. **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

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32. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many physicians, senior assistant physicians, graduate medical internes, other medical internes and dentists were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940. 2. What were their names and salaries and where no salary was being paid, what emoluments did each receive by way of board, lodging or other perquisites. 3. What consultants were attached to the staff of the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940, and at what honoraria or other emolument. 4. How many persons were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1940, specifying whether full or part time and including consultants. 5. What was the average number of patients in residence at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, during the year ending January 31st, 1940.
33. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands have been purchased by the Ontario Government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, from whom, when and at what price for each parcel. 2. By whom were valuations fixed on behalf of the government. 3. What buildings have been constructed at the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 4. In connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, what buildings have been constructed. 5. What contracts were let in connection with the construction of the Ontario Hospital at Brampton for clearing, excavation, construction of buildings, furnishing and all other items. 6. When will the Ontario Hospital at Brampton be ready for the reception of patients. 7. What staff is employed at the Ontario Hospital, Brampton, giving names, salaries and date of appointment in each case.
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35. Feb. 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Mental Health Clinics are in operation in conjunction with Ontario Hospitals at date. 2. In connection with which Ontario Hospitals are Mental Health Clinics operating. 3. What was the total cost of operating each Mental Health Clinic during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, including salaries of officials, travelling expenses, and all other incidental expenses.
36. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is any charge made by the Province of Ontario against the Dominion Government for the use of the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas as an Air Training centre. 2. If so, what is the nature and amount of the charge. 3. Has the government of the Dominion agreed with the Province of Ontario as to keeping buildings in present state of repair. 4. Is there any formal agreement between the Province of Ontario and the Dominion of Canada as to the use of the Ontario Hospital, St. Thomas, by the Federal authorities.
37. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the present position of Dr. Wilfred D. Smith with the Ontario Government. 2. When was he appointed his present position. 3. What is his salary.
38. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign, or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service. 5. Has a successor been appointed and what is his name and salary and when was he appointed and on whose recommendation. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by F. A. O'Connor.
39. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many inmates were there at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico on December 31st, 1939. 2. On December 31st, 1939, what stock was on hand at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico with respect to: (a) Common brick; (b) Rug or Tapestry brick; (c) Floor tile; (d) Wall tile; (e) Spanish roofing tile; (f) Hollow building tile; (g) Agricultural tile. 3. What is the average daily production at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico, of: (a) Common brick; (b) Rug or Tapestry brick.
40. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been collected in license fees or otherwise by the Ontario Securities Commission in each of the years 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939. 2. What was the name, salary and position of each of those employed by the Ontario Securities Commission during

each of the years 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939. 3. What was the total expenditure for the Ontario Securities Commission for the year ending March 31st, 1940.

41. Feb. 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Toronto Gaol Farm for men located near Langstaff been taken over by the Province. 2. If so, for what purpose has the property been taken over by the Province. 3. What are the terms on which the property has been taken over. 4. For what purpose does the Province propose using the property. 5. What officials and what Ministers recommended taking over the Men's Gaol Farm from the City of Toronto. 5. What was the average inmate population of the Men's Gaol Farm during the calendar year 1939. 7. What disposition is now made of prisoners who ordinarily would have been sent from the Toronto gaol to the Men's Gaol Farm.
42. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many inmates were there on December 31st, 1939, at: (a) the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph; (b) the Industrial Farm, Burwash; (c) the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico. 2. On December 31st, 1939, how many sentenced persons were employed in road camps or otherwise outside gaols, reformatories and industrial farms. 3. Where have road or construction camps for the incarceration of sentenced persons been established within the Province. 4. What was the cost of establishing each of the road or construction camps for the incarceration of sentenced persons. 5. Who is the Superintendent of each of the road or construction camps established for the incarceration of sentenced persons. 6. What is the number of staff employed in each of the road or construction camps established for the incarceration of sentenced persons.
44. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Superintendent of the Ontario Reformatory abattoir at Guelph. 2. When was he appointed and at what salary. 3. What Ontario Hospitals purchase their meat supplies other than from the abattoir at the Guelph Reformatory and why.
45. “ 15.—*Mr. Arnott*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases of coal were made by the government during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939, indicating (a) the institutions or buildings for which coal was purchased, (b) the kinds and quantities of coal supplied by each dealer, to each institution, (c) the per ton price with respect to each purchase, (d) the total amount paid to each dealer with respect to coal supplied to each institution or building. 2. Was the coal purchased on a tender basis. 3. Were tenders advertised for, and if so, when and in what newspapers. 4. Was each dealer who so desired allowed to tender. 5. What was the total quantity of Nova Scotia coal purchased by the government in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939.

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47. “ 15.—*Mr. Arnott*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For what period was Earl Hutchinson a member of the Workmen's Compensation Board and at what salary. 2. Did he resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign, or was he dismissed. 3. If he was requested to resign, or if he was dismissed, why. 4. If he has applied for, or been appointed to, any other position in the public service of Ontario, give particulars.
48. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many cases were prosecuted under The Minimum Wage Act in (a) Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939, (b) Present fiscal year to date. 2. How much was collected in fines in each of such periods in such prosecutions. 3. How many convictions were registered in such prosecutions in each of said periods.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1940

1. Jan. 19.—*Mr. Challies*—That there be laid before the House a Return showing agreement or agreements made between the Government, or the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, and any, or all, power companies, relative to the export of power now being made to Massena, New York.
2. “ 25.—*Mr. Challies*—That there be laid before this House a Return showing all surveys and minutes of meetings of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission relative to or involved in the proposed development of the international section of the St. Lawrence River since October 1st, 1937.
3. “ 25.—*Mr. Challies*—That there be laid before this House a Return showing all letters, memoranda, communications and reports relative to the development of the international section of the St. Lawrence River for Hydro power since October 1st, 1937, of or in possession of:—
1. The Government of Ontario or any member of such Government.
 2. The Hydro-Electric Power Commission or any member of such Commission.

PRIVATE BILLS

1940.

15. Feb. 8.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 28), An Act respecting the Toronto Hospital for Consumptives. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
16. “ 15.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the Township of North York. *Mr. Baker.* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 2), An Act respecting the City of Toronto. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**
18. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Township of Melancthon. *Mr. McEwing.* **REPRINTED.**
19. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting William C. Wride and Josie Wride. *Mr. Fletcher.* **REPRINTED.**
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21. “ 15.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 37), An Act respecting the County of Lennox and Addington. *Mr. Black.* **REPRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST, 1940

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MOTIONS.

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PRIVATE BILLS

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

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3. Feb. 9.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario in Parliament assembled is of opinion that the grand jury system should be abolished in Ontario, and the said Legislative Assembly hereby requests that the Parliament of Canada pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about the abolition of the grand jury system in the Province of Ontario, and providing for the presentment of a formal charge in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code, Section 873 (5);

AND this Legislative Assembly also requests that legislation be passed by the Parliament of Canada to provide that where a charge is preferred in any case in which the accused has not been committed for trial by a justice, that the trial shall not proceed without the charge being submitted to a judge of a County or District Court in the same manner and for the same and no other purpose as a bill of indictment might have been preferred before a grand jury before the coming into force of such legislation, provided that such judge shall not take part in the trial, if any.

AND this Legislative Assembly further requests that legislation be passed by the Parliament of Canada providing that in any case where any person has been committed for trial at a preliminary hearing before a justice, the Attorney-General or an agent of the Attorney-General may in his discretion before placing any person on trial on such formal charge submit such charge to a judge of the County or District Court in the same manner and for the same and no other purpose as a bill of indictment might have been preferred before a grand jury before the coming into force of such legislation, provided that such judge shall not take part in the trial, if any.

4. Feb. 19.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin)—That this House will on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole House to consider the following Resolution:—

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for

paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature, Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

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12. Feb. 15.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
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21. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
22. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 62), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1940. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
23. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 63), The Assessment Amendment Act, 1940. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
24. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 64), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1940. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND, 1940

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QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

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23. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What remuneration was received by each licensed dealer collecting gasoline tax for the Department of Highways in fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939.
24. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What issues of Treasury bills were made or renewed in present fiscal year to date. Give date, amount, rate of interest, purchaser and purchase price of each issue. 2. Were tenders called for said issues. 3. If so, give tenders received. 4. If not, why not.
25. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What issues of debentures were made in the present fiscal year to date. Give date, amount, rate of interest, name of purchaser and purchase price of each issue. 2. Were tenders called for said issues. 3. If so, give tenders received. 4. If not, why not.
26. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What amount of debentures or capital advance was repaid by Agricultural Development Board to the Treasury of Ontario in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938 and March 31st, 1939.
27. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What amount was collected from each race track by the Department of Provincial Treasurer under item “Race Tracks \$661,864.77” Public Accounts 1938-9, page 34.
28. “ 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Who are the Magistrates for the County of York. Give date of appointment and salary in each case.
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33. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands have been purchased by the Ontario Government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, from whom, when and at what

price for each parcel. 2. By whom were valuations fixed on behalf of the government. 3. What buildings have been constructed at the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 4. In connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, what buildings have been constructed. 5. What contracts were let in connection with the construction of the Ontario Hospital at Brampton for clearing, excavation, construction of buildings, furnishing and all other items. 6. When will the Ontario Hospital at Brampton be ready for the reception of patients. 7. What staff is employed at the Ontario Hospital, Brampton, giving names, salaries and date of appointment in each case.

38. Feb. 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign, or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service. 5. Has a successor been appointed and what is his name and salary and when was he appointed and on whose recommendation. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by F. A. O'Connor.
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50. Feb. 21.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased for the construction of a mental hospital at or near the City of Port Arthur, from whom were they purchased and what was the purchase price of each parcel. 2. What contracts were let and for what amount, and to whom, with respect to the construction of the hospital. 3. What buildings have been constructed. 4. Is any construction work going on at the present time with respect to the Port Arthur Mental Hospital. 5. Is any staff employed at the present time at the Port Arthur Mental Hospital and if so what are their names and salaries and what are their duties.
51. “ 21.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many miles of the new highway on Kingston Road east of Toronto have been illuminated. 2. What was the cost per mile.
52. “ 21.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of the decorative features of the approaches to Henley Course Bridge near St. Catharines including stone galleons, lions, wing walls and other decorative features. 2. Who designed these decorative features and what was he paid for his services.
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54. “ 21.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of restoration and renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston including road construction involved in the project. 2. Has the Dominion government reimbursed the government of the Province of Ontario with respect to a portion of the cost and if so, to what extent. 3. What amount was paid to W. L. Somerville of Hamilton for his services in connection with the restoration of Old Fort Henry. 4. What was the nature of the services which W. L. Somerville rendered.
55. “ 21.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who, under the direction of the Superintendent and the Deputy Provincial Secretary, is directly responsible for the purchase of cattle, hogs and other live stock for slaughter at the abattoir operated in connection with the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph. 2. What is his salary, when was he appointed and what former experience has he had in this line of work. 3. What amounts have been paid and to whom since July 11th, 1934, for cartage of abattoir products from the abattoir at the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, to the Ontario Hospitals. 4. Who now attends to the cartage of abattoir products from the Ontario Reforma-

tory at Guelph to the Ontario Hospitals and what is the general arrangement therewith. 5. If transportation of abattoir products from the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph to the Ontario Hospitals is handled by a truck owned by the Ontario government: (a) When was truck purchased, (b) From whom was truck purchased, (c) What was cost of said truck, (d) Was truck purchased by tender and was the lowest tender accepted, (e) What to date is the cost of maintenance of truck including wages of driver, gasoline, repairs and all other items. 6. For the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939: (a) What was the cost of live stock purchased for slaughter at the abattoir at the Guelph Reformatory, (b) What was the cost of carcasses and other meat products purchased by the Guelph Reformatory for resale at other institutions or for use at the Reformatory.

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PRIVATE BILLS

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23rd, 1940

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2. “ 15.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the Township of Melancthon. *Mr. McEwing.* **REPRINTED.**
3. “ 15.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting William C. Wride and Josie Wride. *Mr. Fletcher.* **REPRINTED.**

4. Feb. 15.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 27), An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie. *Mr. Miller.* **REPRINTED.**
5. “ 15.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 37), An Act respecting the County of Lennox and Addington. *Mr. Black.* **REPRINTED.**
6. “ 15.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 55), An Act to amend The Unwrought Metal Sales Act. *Mr. Leduc.* **PRINTED.**
7. “ 20.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 62), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1940. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 20.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 63), The Assessment Amendment Act, 1940. *Mr. Cross.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 20.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 64), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1940. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1940.

23. Feb. 15.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What remuneration was received by each licensed dealer collecting gasoline tax for the Department of Highways in fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939.
31. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the amount received by the Province from the tax on net revenue of incorporated companies under The Corporations Tax Act, (a) For year ending March 31st, 1936, (b) For year ending March 31st, 1937, (c) For year ending March 31st, 1938, (d) For year ending March 31st, 1939.
33. “ 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands have been purchased by the Ontario Government in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, from whom, when and at what price for each parcel. 2. By whom were valuations fixed on behalf of the government. 3. What buildings have been constructed at the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 4. In connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, what buildings have been constructed. 5. What contracts were let in connection with the construction of the Ontario Hospital at Brampton for clearing, excavation, construction of buildings, furnishing and all other items. 6. When will the Ontario Hospital at Brampton be ready for the reception of patients. 7. What staff is employed at the Ontario Hospital, Brampton, giving names, salaries and date of appointment in each case.

38. Feb. 15.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign, or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service. 5. Has a successor been appointed and what is his name and salary and when was he appointed and on whose recommendation. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by F. A. O'Connor.
41. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Toronto Gaol Farm for men located near Langstaff been taken over by the Province. 2. If so, for what purpose has the property been taken over by the Province. 3. What are the terms on which the property has been taken over. 4. For what purpose does the Province propose using the property. 5. What officials and what Ministers recommended taking over the Men's Gaol Farm from the City of Toronto. 5. What was the average inmate population of the Men's Gaol Farm during the calendar year 1939. 7. What disposition is now made of prisoners who ordinarily would have been sent from the Toronto gaol to the Men's Gaol Farm.
42. “ 15.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many inmates were there on December 31st, 1939, at: (a) the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph; (b) the Industrial Farm, Burwash; (c) the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico. 2. On December 31st, 1939, how many sentenced persons were employed in road camps or otherwise outside gaols, reformatories and industrial farms. 3. Where have road or construction camps for the incarceration of sentenced persons been established within the Province. 4. What was the cost of establishing each of the road or construction camps for the incarceration of sentenced persons. 5. Who is the Superintendent of each of the road or construction camps established for the incarceration of sentenced persons. 6. What is the number of staff employed in each of the road or construction camps established for the incarceration of sentenced persons.
45. “ 15.—*Mr. Arnott*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases of coal were made by the government during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939, indicating (a) the institutions or buildings for which coal was purchased, (b) the kinds and quantities of coal supplied by each dealer, to each institution, (c) the per ton price with respect to each purchase, (d) the total amount paid to each dealer with respect to coal supplied to each institution or building. 2. Was the coal purchased on a tender basis. 3. Were tenders advertised for, and if so, when and in what newspapers. 4. Was each dealer who so desired allowed to

tender. 5. What was the total quantity of Nova Scotia coal purchased by the government in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939.

46. Feb. 15.—*Mr. Arnott*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Since July 11th, 1934, what amounts have been paid by the Government to W. L. Somerville of Hamilton, and with respect to what services, giving particulars in each case.
49. “ 19.—*Mr. Doucet*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What company was awarded a contract for the bridge over Fifteen Mile Creek on Queen Elizabeth Way near St. Catharines. 2. Was construction of bridge completed by the Contractor. 3. If not by whom was construction of the bridge completed. 4. What was the contract price for construction of the bridge. 5. What amount was paid the Contractor and what amount if any is still due him. 6. If the Contractor was released from his contract on whose recommendation was such action taken and why. 7. What was the cost of completing the work after the contractor ceased operations.
50. “ 21.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands were purchased for the construction of a mental hospital at or near the City of Port Arthur, from whom were they purchased and what was the purchase price of each parcel. 2. What contracts were let and for what amount, and to whom, with respect to the construction of the hospital. 3. What buildings have been constructed. 4. Is any construction work going on at the present time with respect to the Port Arthur Mental Hospital. 5. Is any staff employed at the present time at the Port Arthur Mental Hospital and if so what are their names and salaries and what are their duties.
51. “ 21.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many miles of the new highway on Kingston Road east of Toronto have been illuminated. 2. What was the cost per mile.
52. “ 21.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of the decorative features of the approaches to Henley Course Bridge near St. Catharines including stone galleons, lions, wing walls and other decorative features. 2. Who designed these decorative features and what was he paid for his services.
53. “ 21.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many patients were in residence in the Ontario Hospitals on January 31st, 1940. 2. How many patients were boarded out from the Ontario Hospitals as of date January 31st, 1940. 3. How many patients were on probation from the Ontario Hospitals as of date January 31st, 1940.

54. Feb. 21.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of restoration and renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston including road construction involved in the project. 2. Has the Dominion government reimbursed the government of the Province of Ontario with respect to a portion of the cost and if so, to what extent. 3. What amount was paid to W. L. Somerville of Hamilton for his services in connection with the restoration of Old Fort Henry. 4. What was the nature of the services which W. L. Somerville rendered.
55. Feb. 21.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who, under the direction of the Superintendent and the Deputy Provincial Secretary, is directly responsible for the purchase of cattle, hogs and other live stock for slaughter at the abattoir operated in connection with the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph. 2. What is his salary, when was he appointed and what former experience has he had in this line of work. 3. What amounts have been paid and to whom since July 11th, 1934, for cartage of abattoir products from the abattoir at the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, to the Ontario Hospitals. 4. Who now attends to the cartage of abattoir products from the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph to the Ontario Hospitals and what is the general arrangement therewith. 5. If transportation of abattoir products from the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph to the Ontario Hospitals is handled by a truck owned by the Ontario government: (a) When was truck purchased, (b) From whom was truck purchased, (c) What was cost of said truck, (d) Was truck purchased by tender and was the lowest tender accepted, (e) What to date is the cost of maintenance of truck including wages of driver, gasoline, repairs and all other items. 6. For the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939: (a) What was the cost of live stock purchased for slaughter at the abattoir at the Guelph Reformatory, (b) What was the cost of carcasses and other meat products purchased by the Guelph Reformatory for resale at other institutions or for use at the Reformatory.
56. Feb. 21.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since the 11th day of July, 1934, what new buildings by way of patients' accommodation and nurses' homes have been completed at the Ontario Hospitals at Brockville, Hamilton, London, New Toronto, Orillia and Woodstock, giving the patient or staff accommodation made available in the case of each building and the total cost of each building. 3. Have any buildings been demolished at the Ontario Hospital at London and if so what accommodation for patients or staff was lost by reason of such demolition.
57. Feb. 21.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many patients were in residence at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia on January 31st, 1940. 2. How many patients were boarded out from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia as of date January 31st, 1940. 3. How many patients were on probation from the Ontario

Hospital at Orillia as of date January 31st, 1940. 4. How many pairs of shoes were manufactured in the factory at the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939. 5. How many pairs of shoes were sold to public institutions from the factory at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939. 6. What new accommodation for patients has been provided at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia since July 11th, 1934. 7. How many applications for admission of patients to the Ontario Hospital at Orillia were on file as of date January 31st, 1940.

58. Feb. 22.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Was Alex. Carrick, in a New Toronto Police Court, last September, committed to trial, before a court of competent jurisdiction, on a charge of manslaughter: (a) Has the trial directed by the Police Magistrate taken place, (b) If not, why not.
59. “ 22.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many persons were members of the Ontario Civil Service Permanent Staff on January 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were members of the Ontario Civil Service Temporary Staff on January 31st, 1940.
60. “ 22.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many physicians were employed on January 31st, 1940, in the head office of the Department of Health. 2. How many physicians were on January 31st, 1940, employed at the head office of the Health Department (a) exclusively in the Health Division, (b) exclusively in the Hospitals Division, (c) serving both divisions.
61. “ 22.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Was Dr. D. R. Fletcher, Superintendent of the Ontario Hospital at Whitby, suspended or dismissed and, if so, why. 2. Was C. J. Astrop, Steward at the Ontario Hospital at Whitby, suspended or dismissed and, if so, why. 3. When were Dr. D. R. Fletcher and C. J. Astrop first employed in the Civil Service. 4. What was the military service of each in the war, 1914-18. 5. If either or both officials have left the service of the Government, state who replaced them, giving name, residence, age and general qualifications and stating on whose recommendation other than that of the Minister and Departmental officials the appointments were made, also state salaries.
62. “ 22.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost to January 31st, 1940, of the highway from the Ferguson Highway to Timmins. 2. What has been spent on this highway in the three years ending January 31st, 1940. 3. How many miles of the highway have been paved. 4. What was the average cost per mile of the pavement. 5. In the fiscal years 1939 and 1940 what contracts have been let for grading, paving and all other construction in connection with this

highway, giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted, if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and, if so, give particulars. 8. What was the total amount spent in 1939 fiscal year on the Ferguson Highway from North Bay to Cochrane, and what is the estimated amount for the fiscal year 1940. 9. How many miles of paving have been done on the Ferguson Highway from North Bay to Cochrane in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940. 10. What contracts were let for paving in the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 on the Ferguson Highway from North Bay to Cochrane, giving name of contractor, type of pavement, contract prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 11. Were any extensions granted, if so, give particulars. 12. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis, if so, give particulars.

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65. Feb. 22.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who were the members of the Ontario Athletic Commission in fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 2. What amount of revenue was received by the Ontario Athletic Commission in the fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 3. What portion of this revenue accrued to the Commission by collection of a percentage of gate receipts at sporting events in Ontario, and what from other sources, specifying. 4. What amount was paid to each member of the Ontario Athletic Commission by way of salary or honorarium during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939 and what amount was paid to each member by way of expenses. 5. Who are the employees of the Ontario Athletic Commission and what are their respective salaries. 6. What were the total expenditures of the Ontario Athletic Commission during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 7. What was the cost of operating the Couchiching Camp during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939. 8. Who is the Chairman of the Ontario Athletic Commission and what was he paid by way of salary, honorarium or other emolument during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939 and what was he paid for the same periods by way of expenses. 9. Are any camps other than the Couchiching Camp operated by the Ontario Athletic Commission.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1940

1. Jan. 19.—*Mr. Challies*—That there be laid before the House a Return showing agreement or agreements made between the Government, or the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, and any, or all, power companies, relative to the export of power now being made to Massena, New York.
2. “ 25.—*Mr. Challies*—That there be laid before this House a Return showing all surveys and minutes of meetings of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission relative to or involved in the proposed development of the international section of the St. Lawrence River since October 1st, 1937.
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 1. The Government of Ontario or any member of such Government.
 2. The Hydro-Electric Power Commission or any member of such Commission.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1940.

10. Feb. 16.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act. *Mr. Elgie.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 16.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act. *Mr. Elgie.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. Elgie.* **PRINTED.**
13. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Negligence Act. *Mr. Elgie.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1940.

14. Feb. 21.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 66), An Act to permit the Exportation of Peeled Spruce Pulpwood. *Mr. Heenan.* **PRINTED.**
15. “ 21.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 65), An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act. *Mr. Heenan.* **PRINTED.**
16. “ 21.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 67), An Act for raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 22.—Concurrence in Report of Committee of Supply.
18. “ 25.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin.)*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 1940

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